

STATE OF MISSOURI  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
MISSOURI CLEAN WATER COMMISSION



**MISSOURI STATE OPERATING PERMIT**

In compliance with the Missouri Clean Water Law, (Chapter 644 R.S. Mo. as amended, hereinafter, the Law), and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (Public Law 92-500, 92<sup>nd</sup> Congress) as amended,

Permit No. MO-0022853

Owner: City of Jackson  
Address: 101 Court Street, Jackson, MO 63755

Continuing Authority: Same as above  
Address: Same as above

Facility Name: Jackson Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant  
Facility Address: 2230 Lee Avenue, Jackson, MO 63755

Legal Description: See Page 2  
UTM Coordinates: See Page 2

Receiving Stream: See Page 2  
First Classified Stream and ID: See Page 2  
USGS Basin & Sub-watershed No.: See Page 2

is authorized to discharge from the facility described herein, in accordance with the effluent limitations and monitoring requirements as set forth herein:

**FACILITY DESCRIPTION**

See Page 2

This permit authorizes only wastewater and stormwater discharges under the Missouri Clean Water Law and the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System; it does not apply to other regulated areas. This permit may be appealed in accordance with Section 621.250 RSMo, Section 640.013 RSMo and Section 644.051.6 of the Law.

June 1, 2016  
Effective Date

  
Sara Parker Pauley, Director, Department of Natural Resources

December 31, 2017  
Expiration Date

  
John Madras, Director, Water Protection Program

**FACILITY DESCRIPTION (continued):**

Outfall #001 – POTW – SIC #4952

The use or operation of this facility shall be by or under the supervision of a Certified “B” Operator.

Mechanical bar screen / grit chamber / comminutor / 4 influent screw pumps / 2 oxidation ditches / 3 final clarifiers / UV disinfection / 3 aerobic sludge digesters / 2 sludge holding tanks / lime stabilization of sludge / sludge is land applied.

Design population equivalent is 17,900.

Design flow is 2.4 MGD.

Actual flow is 1.9 MGD gallons per day.

Design sludge production is 376 dry tons/year.

Legal Description:	Land Grant 220, Cape Girardeau County
UTM Coordinates:	X= 794147, Y= 4140181
Receiving Stream and ID:	Goose Creek (C) (2201)
First Classified Stream and ID:	Goose Creek (C) (2201)
USGS Basin & Sub-watershed No.:	(07140107-0602)

Permitted Feature #SM1 – Instream Monitoring

Instream monitoring location – Upstream – See Special Condition #21

Permitted Feature #SM2 – Instream Monitoring

Instream monitoring location – Downstream – Goose Creek before the confluence with Hubble Creek

Legal Description:	Land Grant 220, Cape Girardeau County
UTM Coordinates:	X= 794059, Y= 4139992
Receiving Stream:	Goose Creek (C) (2201)
First Classified Stream and ID:	Goose Creek (C) (2201)
USGS Basin & Sub-watershed No.:	(07140107-0602)

OUTFALL #001	TABLE A-1 FINAL EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS					
	EFFLUENT PARAMETER(S)	UNITS	FINAL EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS			MONITORING REQUIREMENTS
The permittee is authorized to discharge from outfall(s) with serial number(s) as specified in the application for this permit. The final effluent limitations shall become effective on <b>June 1, 2016</b> and remain in effect until expiration of the permit. Such discharges shall be controlled, limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:						
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>MONTHLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>JULY 28, 2016</u> . THERE SHALL BE NO DISCHARGE OF FLOATING SOLIDS OR VISIBLE FOAM IN OTHER THAN TRACE AMOUNTS.						
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>QUARTERLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>OCTOBER 28, 2016</u> .						
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Flow	MGD	*			*	once/day 24 hr. total
Biochemical Oxygen Demand <sub>5</sub>	mg/L		20		20	once/week composite**
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L		45		30	once/week composite**
<i>E. coli</i> (Note 1, Page 4)	#/100mL		1030		206	once/week grab
Ammonia as N (Apr 1 – Sep 30) (Oct 1 – Mar 31)	mg/L	5.4 11.8			1.0 2.2	once/week grab
Oil & Grease	mg/L	15			10	once/quarter**** grab
Total Phosphorus	mg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** grab
Total Nitrogen	mg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** grab
Cyanide, Amenable to Chlorination	µg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** grab
Cadmium, Total Recoverable	µg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** composite**
Chromium III, Total Recoverable	µg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** composite**
Chromium VI, Total Dissolved	µg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** grab
Copper, Total Recoverable	µg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** composite**
Lead, Total Recoverable	µg/L	16.2			7.7	once/quarter**** composite**
Nickel, Total Recoverable	µg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** composite**
Silver, Total Recoverable	µg/L	*			*	once/quarter**** composite**
Zinc, Total Recoverable	µg/L	249.8			107.4	once/quarter**** composite**
pH – Units ***	SU	6.5			9.0	once/week grab

\* Monitoring requirement only.  
 \*\* A 24-hour composite sample is composed of 48 aliquots (subsamples) collected at 30 minute intervals by an automatic sampling device.  
 \*\*\* pH is measured in pH units and is not to be averaged.  
 \*\*\*\* See table on Page 4 for quarterly sampling requirements.

Minimum Sampling Requirements			
Quarter	Months	Oil & Grease, Total Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus, Cyanide, and Metal Parameters	Report is Due
First	January, February, March	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	April 28 <sup>th</sup>
Second	April, May, June	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	July 28th
Third	July, August, September	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	October 28th
Fourth	October, November, December	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	January 28th

Note 1 - Effluent limitations and monitoring requirements for *E. coli* are applicable only during the recreational season from April 1 through October 31. The Monthly Average Limit for *E. coli* is expressed as a geometric mean. The Weekly Average for *E. coli* will be expressed as a geometric mean if more than one (1) sample is collected during a calendar week (Sunday through Saturday).

OUTFALL #001	TABLE A-2 WHOLE EFFLUENT TOXICITY FINAL EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS					
	The permittee is authorized to discharge from outfall(s) with serial number(s) as specified in the application for this permit. The final effluent limitations shall become effective on <b>June 1, 2016</b> and remain in effect until expiration of the permit. Such discharges shall be controlled, limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:					
EFFLUENT PARAMETER(S)	UNITS	FINAL EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS			MONITORING REQUIREMENTS	
		DAILY MAXIMUM	WEEKLY AVERAGE	MONTHLY AVERAGE	MEASUREMENT FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Acute Whole Effluent Toxicity (Note 2)	TU <sub>a</sub>	*			once/year	composite**
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>ANNUALLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>OCTOBER 28, 2016</u> .						
Chronic Whole Effluent Toxicity (Note 3)	TU <sub>c</sub>	*			once/5 years	composite**
<u>WET TEST REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED ONCE PER FIVE YEARS; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE OCTOBER 28, 2019.</u>						

\* Monitoring requirement only.

\*\* A 24-hour composite sample is composed of 48 aliquots (subsamples) collected at 30 minute intervals by an automatic sampling device.

Note 2 – The Acute WET test shall be conducted once per year except the year that the Chronic WET test is conducted. See Special Condition #24 for additional requirements.

Note 3 –The Chronic WET test shall be conducted in 2019. See Special Condition #24 for additional requirements.

TABLE B INFLUENT MONITORING REQUIREMENTS			
The facility is required to meet a removal efficiency of 85% or more as a monthly average. The monitoring requirements shall become effective on <b>June 1, 2016</b> and remain in effect until expiration of the permit. To determine removal efficiencies, the influent wastewater shall be monitored by the permittee as specified below:			
SAMPLING LOCATION AND PARAMETER(S)	UNITS	MONITORING REQUIREMENTS	
		MEASUREMENT FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Biochemical Oxygen Demand <sub>5</sub>	mg/L	once/month	composite**
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	once/month	composite**
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>MONTHLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>JULY 28, 2016</u> .			

PERMITTED FEATURE #SM1	<b>TABLE C-1 INSTREAM MONITORING REQUIREMENTS</b>					
The monitoring requirements shall become effective on <b>June 1, 2016</b> and remain in effect until expiration of the permit.						
PARAMETER(S)	UNITS	MONITORING REQUIREMENTS				
		DAILY MAXIMUM		MONTHLY AVERAGE	MEASUREMENT FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Total Phosphorus	mg/L	*		*	once/quarter****	grab
Total Nitrogen	mg/L	*		*	once/quarter****	grab
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>QUARTERLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>OCTOBER 28, 2016</u> .						

PERMITTED FEATURE #SM2	<b>TABLE C-2 INSTREAM MONITORING REQUIREMENTS</b>					
The monitoring requirements shall become effective on <b>June 1, 2016</b> and remain in effect until expiration of the permit.						
PARAMETER(S)	UNITS	MONITORING REQUIREMENTS				
		DAILY MAXIMUM		MONTHLY AVERAGE	MEASUREMENT FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Hardness, Total	mg/L	*		*	once/quarter****	grab
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>QUARTERLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>OCTOBER 28, 2016</u> .						

- \* Monitoring requirement only.
- \*\* A 24-hour composite sample is composed of 48 aliquots (subsamples) collected at 30 minute intervals by an automatic sampling device.
- \*\*\*\* See table below for quarterly sampling

<b>Minimum Sampling Requirements</b>			
Quarter	Months	Total Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus, and Total Hardness	Report is Due
First	January, February, March	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	April 28 <sup>th</sup>
Second	April, May, June	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	July 28th
Third	July, August, September	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	October 28th
Fourth	October, November, December	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	January 28th

**D. STANDARD CONDITIONS**

In addition to specified conditions stated herein, this permit is subject to the attached Parts I, II, & III standard conditions dated August 1, 2014, May 1, 2013, and March 1, 2015, and hereby incorporated as though fully set forth herein.

## E. SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. This permit establishes final ammonia limitations based on Missouri's current Water Quality Standard. On August 22, 2013, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) published a notice in the Federal Register announcing of the final national recommended ambient water quality criteria for protection of aquatic life from the effects of ammonia in freshwater. The EPA's guidance, Final Aquatic Life Ambient Water Quality Criteria for Ammonia – Fresh Water 2013, is not a rule, nor automatically part of a state's water quality standards. States must adopt new ammonia criteria consistent with EPA's published ammonia criteria into their water quality standards that protect the designated uses of the water bodies. The Department of Natural Resources has initiated stakeholder discussions on how to best incorporate these new criteria into the State's rules. A date for when this rule change will occur has not been determined. Also, refer to Section VI of this permit's factsheet for further information including estimated future effluent limits for this facility. It is recommended the permittee view the Department's 2013 EPA criteria Factsheet located at <http://dnr.mo.gov/pubs/pub2481.htm>.
2. This permit may be reopened and modified, or alternatively revoked and reissued, to:
  - (a) Comply with any applicable effluent standard or limitation issued or approved under Sections 301(b)(2)(C) and (D), 304(b)(2), and 307(a) (2) of the Clean Water Act, if the effluent standard or limitation so issued or approved:
    - (1) contains different conditions or is otherwise more stringent than any effluent limitation in the permit; or
    - (2) controls any pollutant not limited in the permit.
  - (b) Incorporate new or modified effluent limitations or other conditions, if the result of a waste load allocation study, toxicity test or other information indicates changes are necessary to assure compliance with Missouri's Water Quality Standards.
  - (c) Incorporate new or modified effluent limitations or other conditions if, as the result of a watershed analysis, a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) limitation is developed for the receiving waters which are currently included in Missouri's list of waters of the state not fully achieving the state's water quality standards, also called the 303(d) list.
  - (d) Incorporate the requirement to develop a pretreatment program pursuant to 40 CFR 403.8(a) when the Director of the Water Protection Program determines that a pretreatment program is necessary due to any new introduction of pollutants into the Publicly Owned Treatment Works or any substantial change in the volume or character of pollutants being introduced. The permit as modified or reissued under this paragraph shall also contain any other requirements of the Clean Water Act then applicable.
3. All outfalls must be clearly marked in the field. This does not include instream monitoring locations.
4. Permittee will cease discharge by connection to a facility with an area-wide management plan per 10 CSR 20-6.010(3)(B) within 90 days of notice of its availability.
5. Report as no-discharge when a discharge does not occur during the report period.
6. Water Quality Standards
  - (a) To the extent required by law, discharges to waters of the state shall not cause a violation of water quality standards rule under 10 CSR 20-7.031, including both specific and general criteria.
  - (b) General Criteria. The following general water quality criteria shall be applicable to all waters of the state at all times including mixing zones. No water contaminant, by itself or in combination with other substances, shall prevent the waters of the state from meeting the following conditions:
    - (1) Waters shall be free from substances in sufficient amounts to cause the formation of putrescent, unsightly or harmful bottom deposits or prevent full maintenance of beneficial uses;
    - (2) Waters shall be free from oil, scum and floating debris in sufficient amounts to be unsightly or prevent full maintenance of beneficial uses;
    - (3) Waters shall be free from substances in sufficient amounts to cause unsightly color or turbidity, offensive odor or prevent full maintenance of beneficial uses;
    - (4) Waters shall be free from substances or conditions in sufficient amounts to result in toxicity to human, animal or aquatic life;
    - (5) There shall be no significant human health hazard from incidental contact with the water;
    - (6) There shall be no acute toxicity to livestock or wildlife watering;
    - (7) Waters shall be free from physical, chemical or hydrologic changes that would impair the natural biological community;
    - (8) Waters shall be free from used tires, car bodies, appliances, demolition debris, used vehicles or equipment and solid waste as defined in Missouri's Solid Waste Law, section 260.200, RSMo, except as the use of such materials is specifically permitted pursuant to section 260.200-260.247.

E. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

7. Changes in existing pollutants or the addition of new pollutants to the treatment facility

The permittee must provide adequate notice to the Director of the following:

- (a) Any new introduction of pollutants into the POTW from an indirect discharger which would be subject to section 301 or 306 of CWA if it were directly discharging those pollutants; and
- (b) Any substantial change in the volume or character of pollutants being introduced into that POTW by a source introducing pollutants into the POTW at the time of issuance of the permit.
- (c) For purposes of this paragraph, adequate notice shall include information on:
  - (1) the quality and quantity of effluent introduced into the POTW, and
  - (2) any anticipated impact of the change on the quantity or quality of effluent to be discharged from the POTW.

8. Reporting of Non-Detects:

- (a) An analysis conducted by the permittee or their contracted laboratory shall be conducted in such a way that the precision and accuracy of the analyzed result can be enumerated.
- (b) The permittee shall not report a sample result as "Non-Detect" without also reporting the detection limit of the test. Reporting as "Non Detect" without also including the detection limit will be considered failure to report, which is a violation of this permit.
- (c) The permittee shall provide the "Non-Detect" sample result using the less than sign and the minimum detection limit (e.g. <10).
- (d) The permittee shall use one-half of the detection limit for the non-detect result when calculating monthly averages.
- (e) See Standard Conditions Part I, Section A, #4 regarding proper detection limits used for sample analysis.

9. It is a violation of the Missouri Clean Water Law to fail to pay fees associated with this permit (644.055 RSMo).

10. The permittee shall comply with any applicable requirements listed in 10 CSR 20-9, unless the facility has received written notification that the Department has approved a modification to the requirements. The monitoring frequencies contained in this permit shall not be construed by the permittee as a modification of the monitoring frequencies listed in 10 CSR 20-9. If a modification of the monitoring frequencies listed in 10 CSR 20-9 is needed, the permittee shall submit a written request to the Department for review and, if deemed necessary, approval.

11. The permittee shall develop and implement a program for maintenance and repair of the collection system. The recommended guidance is the US EPA's Guide for Evaluating Capacity, Management, Operation, And Maintenance (CMOM) Programs at Sanitary Sewer Collection Systems (Document number EPA 305-B-05-002). The permittee shall submit a report to the Southeast Regional Office annually, by January 28<sup>th</sup>, for the previous calendar year. The report shall contain the following information:

- (a) A list of all:
  - (1) Sanitary Sewer Overflows (SSO) that occurred for the previous year, including SSOs that do not reach waters of the state and;
  - (2) Building backups in which the backup is attributable to the public sewer system.
  - (3) This does not include SSOs that occur due to routine maintenance of sewer lines.
  - (4) This list shall also include the following information for each individual SSO:
    - (1) The location of each SSO (GPS, 911 address, manhole number, etc.)
    - (2) What portion of the collection system did the SSO occur at (manhole, lamphole, sewer cleanout, etc.)
    - (3) The estimated volume (gallons) of each SSO.
    - (4) The estimated duration of each SSO.
    - (5) If the SSO entered waters of the state, and include the name of receiving water. If the SSO entered a drainageway, use the first named stream that the drainageway enters (e.g. first named stream = Dry Creek; Report = Tributary to Dry Creek).
    - (6) Cause for the SSO.
    - (7) How each SSO was mitigated.
    - (8) What actions were taken to prevent a reoccurrence of each SSO.
- (b) A summary of the efforts to locate and eliminate sources of excessive infiltration and inflow into the collection system serving the facility for the previous year.
- (c) A summary of the general maintenance and repairs to the collection system serving the facility for the previous year.
- (d) A summary of any planned maintenance and repairs to the collection system serving the facility for the upcoming calendar year. This list shall include locations (GPS, 911 address, manhole number, etc.) and actions to be taken.

E. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

12. Bypasses are not authorized at this facility unless they meet the criteria in 40 CFR 122.41(m). If a bypass occurs, the permittee shall report in accordance to 40 CFR 122.41(m)(3)(i), and with Standard Condition Part I, Section B, subsection 2.b. Bypasses are to be reported to the Southeast Regional Office during normal business hours or the Environmental Emergency Response hotline at 573-634-2436 outside of normal business hours. Blending, which is the practice of combining a partially-treated wastewater process stream with a fully-treated wastewater process stream prior to discharge, is not considered a form of bypass. If the permittee wishes to utilize blending, the permittee shall file an application to modify this permit to facilitate the inclusion of appropriate monitoring conditions.
13. The facility must be sufficiently secured to restrict entry by children, livestock and unauthorized persons as well as to protect the facility from vandalism.
14. At least one gate must be provided to access the wastewater treatment facility and provide for maintenance and mowing. The gate shall remain closed except when temporarily opened by; the permittee to access the facility, perform operational monitoring, sampling, maintenance, mowing, or for inspections by the Department. The gate shall be closed and locked when the facility is not staffed.
15. At least one (1) warning sign shall be placed on each side of the facility enclosure in such positions as to be clearly visible from all directions of approach. There shall also be one (1) sign placed for every five hundred feet (500') (150 m) of the perimeter fence. A sign shall also be placed on each gate. Minimum wording shall be SEWAGE TREATMENT FACILITY—KEEP OUT. Signs shall be made of durable materials with characters at least two inches (2") high and shall be securely fastened to the fence, equipment or other suitable locations.
16. An Operation and Maintenance (O & M) manual shall be maintained by the permittee and made available to the operator. The O & M manual shall include key operating procedures and a brief summary of the operation of the facility.
17. An all-weather access road shall be provided to the treatment facility.
18. The discharge from the wastewater treatment facility shall be conveyed to the receiving stream via a closed pipe or a paved or rip-rapped open channel. Sheet or meandering drainage is not acceptable. The outfall sewer shall be protected against the effects of floodwater, ice or other hazards as to reasonably insure its structural stability and freedom from stoppage. The outfall shall be maintained so that a sample of the effluent can be obtained at a point after the final treatment process and before the discharge mixes with the receiving waters.
19. Land application of biosolids shall be conducted in accordance with Standard Conditions III and a Department approved biosolids management plan. Land application of biosolids during frozen, snow covered, or saturated soil conditions in accordance with the additional requirements specified in WQ426 shall occur only with prior approval from the Department.
20. The permittee shall implement and enforce its approved pretreatment program in accordance with the requirements of 10 CSR 20-6.100. The approved pretreatment program is hereby incorporated by reference.

The permittee shall submit to the Department on or before March 31<sup>st</sup> of each year a report briefly describing its pretreatment activities during the previous calendar year. At a minimum, the report shall include the following:

- (a) An updated list of the Permittee's Industrial Users, including their names and addresses, or a list of deletions and additions keyed to a previously submitted list. The Permittee shall provide a brief explanation of each deletion. This list shall identify which Industrial Users are subject to categorical pretreatment Standards and specify which Standards are applicable to each Industrial User. The list shall indicate which Industrial Users are subject to local standards that are more stringent than the categorical Pretreatment Standards. The Permittee shall also list the Industrial Users that are subject only to local Requirements;
- (b) A summary of the status of Industrial User compliance over the reporting period;
- (c) A summary of compliance and enforcement activities (including inspections) conducted by the Permittee during the reporting period; and
- (d) Any other relevant information requested by the Department.

Pursuant to 40 CFR 122.44(j)(2)(ii), the permittee shall submit to the Department a written technical evaluation of the need to revise local limits under 40 CFR 403.5(c)(1) along with the application for renewal of this permit.

E. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

21. Receiving Water Monitoring Conditions

- (a) In-stream receiving water samples should be taken at the location(s) specified on Page 2 of this permit. In the event that a safe, accessible location is not present at the location(s) listed, a suitable location can be negotiated with the Department. Samples should be taken at least four feet from the bank or from the middle of the stream (whichever is less) and 6-inches below the surface. The upstream receiving water sample should be collected at a point upstream from any influence of the effluent, where the water is visibly flowing down stream.
- (b) When conducting in-stream monitoring, the permittee shall record observations that include: the time of day, weather conditions, unusual stream characteristics (e.g., septic conditions, algae growth, etc.), the stream segment (e.g., riffle, pool or run) from where the sample was collected. These observations shall be submitted with the sample results.
- (c) Samples shall not be collected from areas with especially turbulent flow, still water or from the stream bank, unless these conditions are representative of the stream reach or no other areas are available for sample collection. Sampling should not be made when significant precipitation has occurred recently. The sampling event should be terminated and rescheduled if any of the following conditions occur:
  - If turbidity in the stream increases notably; or
  - If rainfall over the past two weeks exceeds 2.5 inches or exceeds 1 inch in the last 24 hours
- (d) Always use the correct sampling technique and handling procedure specified for the parameter of interest. Please refer to the latest edition of Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater for further discussion of proper sampling techniques. All analyses must be conducted in accordance with an approved EPA method. Meters shall be calibrated immediately (within 1 hour) prior to the sampling event.
- (e) Please contact the Department if you need additional instructions or assistance.

22. Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP): A SWPPP must be developed and implemented within 180 days of the effective date of the permit. Through implementation of the SWPPP, the permittee shall minimize the release of pollutants in stormwater from the facility to the waters of the state. The SWPPP shall be developed in consultation with the concepts and methods described in the following document: Developing Your Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan, A Guide for Industrial Operators, (Document number EPA 833-B-09-002) published by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) in February 2009.

- (a) The SWPPP must identify any stormwater outfall from the facility and Best Management Practices (BMPs) used to prevent or reduce the discharge of contaminants in stormwater. The stormwater outfalls shall either be marked in the field or clearly marked on a map and maintained with the SWPPP.
- (b) The SWPPP must include a schedule and procedures for a once per month routine site inspection.
  - (1) The monthly routine inspection shall be documented in a brief written report, which shall include:
    - i. The person(s) conducting the inspection.
    - ii. The inspection date and time.
    - iii. Weather information for the day of the inspection.
    - iv. Precipitation information for the entire period since the last inspection.
    - v. Description of the discharges observed, including visual quality of the discharges (sheen, turbid, etc.).
    - vi. Condition of BMPs
    - vii. If BMPs were replaced or repaired.
    - viii. Observations and evaluations of BMP effectiveness.
  - (2) Any deficiency observed during the routine inspection must be corrected within seven (7) days and the actions taken to correct the deficiencies shall be included with the written report.
  - (3) The routine inspection reports must be kept onsite with the SWPPP and maintained for a period of five (5) years.
  - (4) The routine inspection reports shall be made available to Department personnel upon request.

E. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

- (c) The SWPPP must include a schedule and procedures for a once per year comprehensive site inspection.
    - (1) The annual comprehensive inspection shall be documented in a written report, which shall include:
      - i. The person(s) conducting the inspection.
      - ii. The inspection date and time.
      - iii. Findings from the areas of your facility that were examined;
      - iv. All observations relating to the implementation of your control measures including:
        - 1. Previously unidentified discharges from the site,
        - 2. Previously unidentified pollutants in existing discharges,
        - 3. Evidence of, or the potential for, pollutants entering the drainage system;
        - 4. Evidence of pollutants discharging to receiving waters at all facility outfall(s), and the condition of and around the outfall, and
        - 5. Additional control measures needed to address any conditions requiring corrective action identified during the inspection.
      - v. Any required revisions to the SWPPP resulting from the inspection;
      - vi. Any incidence of noncompliance observed or a certification stating that the facility is in compliance with Special Condition 22.
    - (2) Any deficiency observed during the comprehensive inspection must be corrected within seven (7) days and the actions taken to correct the deficiencies shall be included with the written report.
    - (3) The comprehensive inspection reports must be kept onsite with the SWPPP and maintained for a period of five (5) years.
    - (4) The comprehensive inspection reports shall be made available to Department personnel upon request.
  - (d) The SWPPP must be kept on-site and should not be sent to the Department unless specifically requested.
  - (e) The SWPPP must be reviewed and updated at a minimum once per permit cycle, as site conditions or control measures change.
23. The permittee shall select, install, use, operate, and maintain the Best Management Practices prescribed in the SWPPP.
- (a) Permittee shall adhere to the following minimum Best Management Practices (BMPs):
    - i. Minimize the exposure of industrial material storage areas, loading and unloading areas, dumpsters and other disposal areas, maintenance activities, and fueling operations to rain, snow, snowmelt, and runoff, by locating industrial materials and activities inside or protecting them with storm resistant coverings, if warranted and practicable.
    - ii. Provide good housekeeping practices on the site to prevent potential pollution sources from coming into contact with stormwater and provide collection facilities and arrange for proper disposal of waste products, including sludge.
    - iii. Implement a maintenance program to ensure that the structural control measures and industrial equipment is kept in good operating condition and to prevent or minimize leaks and other releases of pollutants.
    - iv. Prevent or minimize the spillage or leaks of fluids, oil, grease, fuel, etc. from equipment and vehicle maintenance, equipment and vehicle cleaning, or activities.
    - v. Provide sediment and erosion control sufficient to prevent or control sediment loss off of the property. This could include the use of straw bales, silt fences, or sediment basins, if needed.
    - vi. Provide stormwater runoff controls to divert, infiltrate, reuse, contain, or otherwise minimize pollutants in the stormwater discharge.
    - vii. Enclose or cover storage piles of salt or piles containing salt, used for deicing or other commercial or industrial purposes.
    - viii. Provide training to all employees who; work in areas where industrial materials or activities are exposed to stormwater, are responsible for stormwater inspections, are members of the Pollution Prevention Team. Training must cover the specific control measures and monitoring, inspection, planning, reporting and documentation requirements of this permit. Training is recommended annually for any applicable staff and whenever a new employee is hired who meets the description above.
    - ix. Eliminate and prevent unauthorized non-stormwater discharges at the facility.
    - x. Minimize generation of dust and off-site tracking of raw, final, or waste materials by implementing appropriate control measures.

E. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

24. Whole Effluent Toxicity (WET) Test shall be conducted as follows:

a) For ACUTE TOXICITY: Freshwater Species and Test Methods

- a. Species and short-term test methods for estimating the acute toxicity of NPDES effluents are found in the fifth edition of *Methods for Measuring the Acute Toxicity of Effluents and Receiving Waters to Freshwater and Marine Organisms* (EPA/821/R-02/012, 2002; Table IA, 40 CFR Part 136). The permittee shall concurrently conduct 48-hour static non-renewal toxicity tests with the following vertebrate species:
  - i. The fathead minnow, *Pimephales promelas* (Acute Toxicity Test Method 2000.0).  
And the following invertebrate species:
  - ii. The daphnid, *Ceriodaphnia dubia* (Acute Toxicity Test Method 2002.0).
- b. Chemical and physical analysis of an upstream control sample and effluent sample shall occur immediately upon being received by the laboratory, prior to any manipulation of the effluent sample beyond preservation methods consistent with federal guidelines for WET testing that are required to stabilize the sample during shipping. Where upstream receiving water is not available, synthetic laboratory control water may be used.
- c. Test conditions must meet all test acceptability criteria required by the EPA Method used in the analysis.
- d. Any and all chemical or physical analysis of the effluent sample performed in conjunction with the WET test shall be performed at the 100% Effluent concentration in addition to analysis performed upon any other effluent concentration.

b) For CHRONIC TOXICITY: Freshwater Species and Test Methods

- a. Species and short-term test methods for estimating the chronic toxicity of NPDES effluents are found in the fourth edition of *Short-term Methods for Estimating the Chronic Toxicity of Effluents and Receiving Waters to Freshwater Organisms* (EPA/821/R-02/013, 2002; Table IA, 40 CFR Part 136). The permittee shall concurrently conduct 7-day, static, renewal toxicity tests with the following vertebrate species:
  - i. The fathead minnow, *Pimephales promelas* (Survival and Growth Test Method 1000.0).  
And the following invertebrate species:
  - ii. The daphnid, *Ceriodaphnia dubia* (Survival and Reproduction Test Method 1002.0).
- b. Chemical and physical analysis of an upstream control sample and effluent sample shall occur immediately upon being received by the laboratory, prior to any manipulation of the effluent sample beyond preservation methods consistent with federal guidelines for WET testing that are required to stabilize the sample during shipping. Where upstream receiving water is not available, synthetic laboratory control water may be used.
- c. Test conditions must meet all test acceptability criteria required by the EPA Method used in the analysis.
- d. Any and all chemical or physical analysis of the effluent sample performed in conjunction with the WET test shall be performed at the 100% Effluent concentration in addition to analysis performed upon any other effluent concentration.

c) Reporting of Toxicity Monitoring Results

- a. WET test results shall be submitted to the Southeast Regional Office, or by eDMR, with the permittee's Discharge Monitoring Reports by October, 28 annually. The submittal shall include:
- b. A full laboratory report for all toxicity testing.
- c. Copies of chain-of-custody forms.
- d. The WET form provided by the Department upon permit issuance.
- e. ACUTE: The report must include a quantification of acute toxic units ( $TU_a = 100/LC_{50}$ ) reported according to the test methods manual chapter on report preparation and test review. The Lethal Concentration, 50 Percent ( $LC_{50}$ ) is the toxic or effluent concentration that would cause death in 50 percent of the test organisms over a specified period of time.
- f. CHRONIC: The report must include a quantification of chronic toxic units ( $TU_c = 100/IC_{25}$ ) reported according to the *Methods for Measuring the Chronic Toxicity of Effluents and Receiving Waters to Freshwater and Marine Organisms* chapter on report preparation and test review. The 25 percent Inhibition Effect

d) Permit reopener. In accordance with 40 CFR Parts 122 and 124, this permit may be modified to include effluent limitations or permit conditions to address acute toxicity in the effluent or receiving waterbody, as a result of the discharge; or to implement new, revised, or newly interpreted water quality standards applicable to acute toxicity.

**MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
FACT SHEET  
FOR THE PURPOSE OF RENEWAL  
OF  
MO-0022853  
JACKSON MUNICIPAL WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT**

The Federal Water Pollution Control Act ("Clean Water Act" Section 402 Public Law 92-500 as amended) established the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit program. This program regulates the discharge of pollutants from point sources into the waters of the United States, and the release of stormwater from certain point sources. All such discharges are unlawful without a permit (Section 301 of the "Clean Water Act"). After a permit is obtained, a discharge not in compliance with all permit terms and conditions is unlawful. Missouri State Operating Permits (MSOPs) are issued by the Director of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (Department) under an approved program, operating in accordance with federal and state laws (Federal "Clean Water Act" and "Missouri Clean Water Law" Section 644 as amended). MSOPs are issued for a period of five (5) years unless otherwise specified.

As per [40 CFR Part 124.8(a)] and [10 CSR 20-6.020(1)2.] a Factsheet shall be prepared to give pertinent information regarding the applicable regulations, rationale for the development of effluent limitations and conditions, and the public participation process for the Missouri State Operating Permit (operating permit) listed below.

A Factsheet is not an enforceable part of an operating permit.

This Factsheet is for a Major.

**Part I – Facility Information**

Facility Type: POTW - SIC #4952

Facility Description:

Mechanical bar screen / grit chamber / comminutor / 4 influent screw pumps / 2 oxidation ditches / 3 final clarifiers / UV disinfection / 3 aerobic sludge digesters / 2 sludge holding tanks / lime stabilization of sludge / sludge is land applied.

Application Date: 01/09/14

Expiration Date: 07/09/14

**OUTFALL(S) TABLE:**

OUTFALL	DESIGN FLOW (CFS)	TREATMENT LEVEL	EFFLUENT TYPE
#001	3.72	Secondary	Domestic

Facility Performance History:

This facility last has a routine compliance inspection on March 27, 2014. The conditions of the facility at the time of inspection were found to be satisfactory. A review of the past five years of monitoring reports submitted by the City indicates effluent limit exceedances in the following months: BOD 5/14; Copper 6/13, 12/13, 6/14; Lead 9/12, 12/12; Silver 9/13; TSS 5/14; and Zinc 9/13.

Comments:

The facility conducted a Water Effect Ratio (WER) study using the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's *Streamlined Water-Effect Ratio Procedure for Discharges of Copper* as the revised copper effluent limits in the previous permit would have been a challenge to meet. The WER established site-specific copper criteria applicable to the Jackson Municipal WWTP for discharges to Goose Creek (C) (2201). See Appendix – Water Effect Ratio (WER) Study. The full report including appendices and the Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) can be made available upon request.

Temperature monitoring has been removed from this permit as there is no reasonable potential for it to cause an excursion of water quality standards. Oil and grease sampling frequency has been reduced from monthly to quarterly due to satisfactory facility performance. Total Toxic Organics (TTO) sampling has been removed from this permit as well. TTO sampling has yielded only non-detects for all parameters tested. Because of this, TTO is no longer being required to determine the protection of water quality.

The previous permit required effluent hardness monitoring. Hardness data from downstream sampling is more accurate for developing a site-specific hardness in order to determine reasonable potential and to calculate hardness-dependent metals limits.

Comments continued:

The previous permit required an annual acute WET Test. This permit will now require one of those annual WET Tests to be chronic. Please see the WET Test section of Part V – Rationale and Derivation of Effluent Limitations & Permit Conditions.

Nutrient monitoring is required in this permit for nitrogen and phosphorus. Quarterly nutrient effluent monitoring is required for all facilities with discharges over 100,000 gallons per day. Upstream monitoring for these parameters is necessary to determine background concentrations in order to complete calculations that determine instream nutrient loading.

Special conditions were updated to include the addition of inflow and infiltration reporting requirements, reporting of Non-detects, bypass reporting requirements, instream monitoring requirements, and SWPPP requirements.

**Part II – Operator Certification Requirements**

As per [10 CSR 20-6.010(8) Terms and Conditions of a Permit], the permittee shall operate and maintain facilities to comply with the Missouri Clean Water Law and applicable permit conditions and regulations. Operators or supervisors of operations at regulated wastewater treatment facilities shall be certified in accordance with [10 CSR 20-9.020(2)] and any other applicable state law or regulation. As per [10 CSR 20-9.020(2)(A)], requirements for operation by certified personnel shall apply to all wastewater treatment systems, if applicable, as listed below:

Owned or operated by or for a

- Municipalities
- Public Sewer District
- County
- Public Water Supply Districts
- Private Sewer Company regulated by the Public Service Commission
- State agency
- Federal agency

Each of the above entities are only applicable if they have a Population Equivalent greater than two hundred (200) or fifty (50) or more service connections.

This facility currently requires an operator with a B Certification Level. Please see **Appendix - Classification Worksheet**. Modifications made to the wastewater treatment facility may cause the classification to be modified.

Operator's Name:       Kenny Gibbar  
Certification Number:   4715  
Certification Level:     A

The listing of the operator above only signifies that staff drafting this operating permit have reviewed appropriate Department records and determined that the name listed on the operating permit application has the correct and applicable Certification Level.

**Part III– Operational Monitoring**

- As per [10 CSR 20-9.010(4)], the facility is not required to conduct operational monitoring.
- As per [10 CSR 20-9.010(4)], the facility is required to conduct operational monitoring.

**Part IV – Receiving Stream Information**

10 CSR 20-7.031 Missouri Water Quality Standards, the Department defines the Clean Water Commission water quality objectives in terms of "water uses to be maintained and the criteria to protect those uses." The receiving stream and/or 1<sup>st</sup> classified receiving stream's beneficial water uses to be maintained, are located in the Receiving Stream Table located below in accordance with [10 CSR 20-7.031(4)].

**RECEIVING STREAM(S) TABLE: OUTFALL #001**

WATER-BODY NAME	CLASS	WBID	DESIGNATED USES*	12-DIGIT HUC	DISTANCE TO SEGMENT (MI)
Goose Creek	C	2201	IRR, LWW, AQL, HHP, SCR	(07140107-0602)	Direct Discharge
Hubble Creek	P	2197	IRR, LWW, AQL, HHP, WBC-B, SCR		0.1

\* - Irrigation (IRR), Livestock & Wildlife Watering (LWW), Protection of Warm Water Aquatic Life (AQL), Human Health Protection (HHP), Cool Water Fishery (CLF), Cold Water Fishery (CDF), Whole Body Contact Recreation – Category A (WBC-A), Whole Body Contact Recreation – Category B (WBC-B), Secondary Contact Recreation (SCR), Drinking Water Supply (DWS), Industrial (IND), Groundwater (GRW).

**RECEIVING STREAM(S) LOW-FLOW VALUES:**

RECEIVING STREAM (C, E, P, P1)	LOW-FLOW VALUES (CFS)		
	1Q10	7Q10	30Q10
Goose Creek	0.0	0.0	0.0

**MIXING CONSIDERATIONS**

Mixing Zone: Not Allowed [10 CSR 20-7.031(5)(A)4.B.(I)(a)].  
 Zone of Initial Dilution: Not Allowed [10 CSR 20-7.031(5)(A)4.B.(I)(b)].

**RECEIVING STREAM MONITORING REQUIREMENTS:**

**Permitted Feature #SM1** – Upstream – See Special Condition #21

Facilities with a design flow greater than 100,000 gallons per day are required to sample their effluent quarterly for Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen per 10 CSR 20-7.015(9)(D)7. Upstream monitoring for these parameters is necessary to determine background concentrations in order to complete calculations that determine instream nutrient loading.

**Permitted Feature #SM2** – Downstream – See Page 2 of the permit

Downstream hardness monitoring has been added to the permit in order to develop a site-specific hardness for determining reasonable potential and calculating hardness-dependent metals limits.

Receiving Water Body's Water Quality

No water quality issues were found and no stream surveys have been conducted near this facility.

**Part V – Rationale and Derivation of Effluent Limitations & Permit Conditions**

**ALTERNATIVE EVALUATIONS FOR NEW FACILITIES:**

As per [10 CSR 20-7.015(4)(A)], discharges to losing streams shall be permitted only after other alternatives including land application, discharges to a gaining stream and connection to a regional wastewater treatment facility have been evaluated and determined to be unacceptable for environmental and/or economic reasons.

- The facility does not discharge to a Losing Stream as defined by [10 CSR 20-2.010(36)] & [10 CSR 20-7.031(1)(N)], or is an existing facility.

**ANTI-BACKSLIDING:**

A provision in the Federal Regulations [CWA §303(d)(4); CWA §402(o); 40 CFR Part 122.44(l)] that requires a reissued permit to be as stringent as the previous permit with some exceptions.

- Limitations in this operating permit for the reissuance of this permit conform to the anti-backsliding provisions of Section 402(o) of the Clean Water Act, and 40 CFR Part 122.44. Information is available which was not available at the time of permit issuance (other than revised regulations, guidance, or test methods) and which would have justified the application of a less stringent effluent limitation at the time of permit issuance.

- Temperature monitoring has been removed as there is no reasonable potential for it to exceed water quality standards.
- The sampling frequency for Oil & Grease has been reduced from monthly to quarterly due to satisfactory facility performance history.
- Total Toxic Organics (TTO) sampling has been removed from this permit as well. TTO sampling has yielded only non-detects for all parameters tested. Because of this, TTO is no longer being required to determine the protection of water quality.
- Effluent limits calculated for ammonia based on the past five years of facility data and current water quality standards have been adjusted from 11.4 mg/L to 11.8 mg/L for the daily max in the winter months. Although this is a less stringent limit, it remains equally protective of water quality.
- Statistical analysis was performed for Copper, Nickel, and Silver and determined no reasonable potential for an excursion of water quality standards caused by these toxics. Because of this, limits have been removed and replaced with a monitoring only requirement. The analysis used copper criteria developed by a WER study.
- Effluent limits calculated for Lead and Zinc based on the past five years of facility data and current water quality standards have been adjusted. Although these may be less stringent limit, they remain equally protective of water quality.
- This permit changes WET test requirements for the facility from a pass/fail requirement to monitoring only for toxic units. This change reflects modifications to Missouri's Effluent Regulation found at 10 CSR 20-7.015. 40 CFR 122.44(d)(1)(ii) requires the Department to establish effluent limitations that control all parameters which have the reasonable potential to cause or contribute to an excursion above any state water quality standard, including state narrative criteria. The previous permit imposed a pass/fail limitation without collecting sufficient data to make a reasonable potential determination. Furthermore, the method of reporting associated with the pass/fail limitation prevented the Department from gathering the data necessary to make a finding of reasonable potential. Implementation of the toxic unit monitoring requirement will allow the Department to implement numeric acute criteria in accordance with water quality standards established under §303 of the CWA.

**ANTIDEGRADATION:**

In accordance with Missouri's Water Quality Standard [10 CSR 20-7.031(3)], the Department is to document by means of Antidegradation Review that the use of a water body's available assimilative capacity is justified. Degradation is justified by documenting the socio-economic importance of a discharging activity after determining the necessity of the discharge.

- No degradation proposed and no further review necessary. Facility did not apply for authorization to increase pollutant loading or to add additional pollutants to their discharge.

**AREA-WIDE WASTE TREATMENT MANAGEMENT & CONTINUING AUTHORITY:**

As per [10 CSR 20-6.010(3)(B)], ...An applicant may utilize a lower preference continuing authority by submitting, as part of the application, a statement waiving preferential status from each existing higher preference authority, providing the waiver does not conflict with any area-wide management plan approved under section 208 of the Federal Clean Water Act or any other regional sewage service and treatment plan approved for higher preference authority by the Department.

**BIOSOLIDS & SEWAGE SLUDGE:**

Biosolids are solid materials resulting from domestic wastewater treatment that meet federal and state criteria for beneficial uses (i.e. fertilizer). Sewage sludge is solids, semi-solids, or liquid residue generated during the treatment of domestic sewage in a treatment works; including but not limited to, domestic septage; scum or solids removed in primary, secondary, or advanced wastewater treatment process; and a material derived from sewage sludge. Sewage sludge does not include ash generated during the firing of sewage sludge in a sewage sludge incinerator or grit and screening generated during preliminary treatment of domestic sewage in a treatment works. Additional information regarding biosolids and sludge is located at the following web address: <http://extension.missouri.edu/main/DisplayCategory.aspx?C=74>, items WQ422 through WQ449.

- Permittee land applies biosolids in accordance with Standard Conditions III and a Department approved biosolids management plan.

**COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT:**

Enforcement is the action taken by the Water Protection Program (WPP) to bring an entity into compliance with the Missouri Clean Water Law, its implementing regulations, and/or any terms and conditions of an operating permit. The primary purpose of the enforcement activity in the WPP is to resolve violations and return the entity to compliance.

- The facility is not currently under Water Protection Program enforcement action.

**PRETREATMENT PROGRAM:**

The reduction of the amount of pollutants, the elimination of pollutants, or the alteration of the nature of pollutant properties in wastewater prior to or in lieu of discharging or otherwise introducing such pollutants into a Publicly Owned Treatment Works [40 CFR Part 403.3(q)].

Pretreatment programs are required at any POTW (or combination of POTW operated by the same authority) and/or municipality with a total design flow greater than 5.0 MGD and receiving industrial wastes that interfere with or pass through the treatment works or are otherwise subject to the pretreatment standards. Pretreatment programs can also be required at POTWs/municipals with a design flow less than 5.0 MGD if needed to prevent interference with operations or pass through.

Several special conditions pertaining to the permittee's pretreatment program may be included in the permit, and are as follows:

- Implementation and enforcement of the program,
- Annual pretreatment report submittal,
- Submittal of list of industrial users,
- Technical evaluation of need to establish local limitations, and
- Submittal of the results of the evaluation

- This permittee has an approved pretreatment program in accordance with the requirements of [40 CFR Part 403] and [10 CSR 20-6.100] and is expected to implement and enforce its approved program.

**REASONABLE POTENTIAL ANALYSIS (RPA):**

Federal regulation [40 CFR Part 122.44(d)(1)(i)] requires effluent limitations for all pollutants that are or may be discharged at a level that will cause or have the reasonable potential to cause or contribute to an in-stream excursion above narrative or numeric water quality standard.

In accordance with [40 CFR Part 122.44(d)(1)(iii)] if the permit writer determines that any given pollutant has the reasonable potential to cause, or contribute to an in-stream excursion above the WQS, the permit must contain effluent limits for that pollutant.

- A RPA was conducted on appropriate parameters. Please see **APPENDIX – RPA RESULTS**.

**REMOVAL EFFICIENCY:**

Removal efficiency is a method by which the Federal Regulations define Secondary Treatment and Equivalent to Secondary Treatment, which applies to Biochemical Oxygen Demand 5-day (BOD<sub>5</sub>) and Total Suspended Solids (TSS) for Publicly Owned Treatment Works (POTWs)/municipals.

- Secondary Treatment is 85% removal [40 CFR Part 133.102(a)(3) & (b)(3)].

**SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOWS (SSO) AND INFLOW AND INFILTRATION (I&I):**

Sanitary Sewer Overflows (SSOs) are defined as untreated sewage releases and are considered bypassing under state regulation [10 CSR 20-2.010(11)] and should not be confused with the federal definition of bypass. SSOs result from a variety of causes including blockages, line breaks, and sewer defects that can either allow wastewater to backup within the collection system during dry weather conditions or allow excess stormwater and groundwater to enter and overload the collection system during wet weather conditions. SSOs can also result from lapses in sewer system operation and maintenance, inadequate sewer design and construction, power failures, and vandalism. SSOs include overflows out of manholes, cleanouts, broken pipes, and other into waters of the state and onto city streets, sidewalks, and other terrestrial locations.

Inflow and Infiltration (I&I) is defined as unwanted intrusion of stormwater or groundwater into a collection system. This can occur from points of direct connection such as sump pumps, roof drain downspouts, foundation drains, and storm drain cross-connections or through cracks, holes, joint failures, faulty line connections, damaged manholes, and other openings in the collection system itself. I&I results from a variety of causes including line breaks, improperly sealed connections, cracks caused by soil erosion/settling, penetration of vegetative roots, and other sewer defects. In addition, excess stormwater and groundwater entering the collection system from line breaks and sewer defects have the potential to negatively impact the treatment facility.

Missouri RSMo §644.026.1.(13) mandates that the Department issue permits for discharges of water contaminants into the waters of this state, and also for the operation of sewer systems. Such permit conditions shall ensure compliance with all requirements as established by sections 644.006 to 644.141. Standard Conditions Part I, referenced in the permit, contains provisions requiring proper operation and maintenance of all facilities and systems of treatment and control. Missouri RSMo §644.026.1.(15) instructs the Department to require proper maintenance and operation of treatment facilities and sewer systems and proper disposal of residual waste from all such facilities. To ensure that public health and the environment are protected, any noncompliance which may endanger public health or the environment must be reported to the Department within 24 hours of the time the permittee becomes aware of the noncompliance. Standard Conditions Part I, referenced in the permit, contains the reporting requirements for the permittee when bypasses and upsets occur. The permit also contains requirements for permittees to develop and implement a program for maintenance and repair of the collection system. The permit requires that the permittee submit an annual report to the Department for the previous calendar year that contains a list of all SSOs and building backups (locations, features of collection system where the SSO/building backup occurred, volumes, durations, receiving stream, causes, mitigation efforts, and actions to prevent reoccurrences), a summary of efforts taken by the permittee to locate and eliminate sources of excess I & I, a summary of general maintenance and repairs to the collection system, and a summary of any planned maintenance and repairs to the collection system for the upcoming calendar year.

- At this time, the Department recommends the US EPA's Guide for Evaluating Capacity, Management, Operation and Maintenance (CMOM) Programs At Sanitary Sewer Collection Systems (Document # EPA 305-B-05-002). The CMOM identifies some of the criteria used by the EPA to evaluate a collection system's management, operation, and maintenance and was intended for use by the EPA, state, regulated community, and/or third party entities. The CMOM is applicable to small, medium, and large systems; both public and privately owned; and both regional and satellite collection systems. The CMOM does not substitute for the Clean Water Act, the Missouri Clean Water Law, and both federal and state regulations, as it is not a regulation.

**SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE (SOC):**

Per 644.051.4 RSMo, a permit may be issued with a Schedule of Compliance (SOC) to provide time for a facility to come into compliance with new state or federal effluent regulations, water quality standards, or other requirements. Such a schedule is not allowed if the facility is already in compliance with the new requirement, or if prohibited by other statute or regulation. A SOC includes an enforceable sequence of interim requirements (actions, operations, or milestone events) leading to compliance with the Missouri Clean Water Law, its implementing regulations, and/or the terms and conditions of an operating permit. *See also* Section 502(17) of the Clean Water Act, and 40 CFR §122.2. For new effluent limitations, the permit includes interim monitoring for the specific parameter to demonstrate the facility is not already in compliance with the new requirement. Per 40 CFR § 122.47(a)(1) and 10 CSR 20-7.031(11), compliance must occur as soon as possible. If the permit provides a schedule for meeting new water quality based effluent limits, a SOC must include an enforceable, final effluent limitation in the permit even if the SOC extends beyond the life of the permit.

A SOC is not allowed:

- For effluent limitations based on technology-based standards established in accordance with federal requirements, if the deadline for compliance established in federal regulations has passed. 40 CFR § 125.3.
- For a newly constructed facility in most cases. Newly constructed facilities must meet applicable effluent limitations when discharge begins, because the facility has installed the appropriate control technology as specified in a permit or antidegradation review. A SOC is allowed for a new water quality based effluent limit that was not included in a previously public noticed permit or antidegradation review, which may occur if a regulation changes during construction.
- To develop a TMDL, UAA, or other study associated with development of a site specific criterion. A facility is not prohibited from conducting these activities, but a SOC may not be granted for conducting these activities.

In order to provide guidance to Permit Writers in developing SOCs, and attain a greater level of consistency, on October 25, 2012 the Department issued a policy on development of SOCs. This policy provides guidance to Permit Writers on the standard time frames for schedules for common activities, and guidance on factors that may modify the length of the schedule such as a cost analysis.

- This permit does not contain a SOC.

**STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN (SWPPP):**

In accordance with 40 CFR 122.44(k) *Best Management Practices (BMPs)* to control or abate the discharge of pollutants when: (1) Authorized under section 304(e) of the Clean Water Act (CWA) for the control of toxic pollutants and hazardous substances from ancillary industrial activities; (2) Authorized under section 402(p) of the CWA for the control of stormwater discharges; (3) Numeric effluent limitations are infeasible; or (4) the practices are reasonably necessary to achieve effluent limitations and standards or to carry out the purposes and intent of the CWA.

In accordance with the EPA's *Developing Your Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan, A Guide for Industrial Operators*, (Document number EPA 833-B-09-002) [published by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) in February 2009], BMPs are measures or practices used to reduce the amount of pollution entering (regarding this operating permit) waters of the state. BMPs may take the form of a process, activity, or physical structure.

Additionally in accordance with the Stormwater Management, a SWPPP is a series of steps and activities to (1) identify sources of pollution or contamination, and (2) select and carry out actions which prevent or control the pollution of stormwater discharges.

- 10 CSR 20-6.200 and 40 CFR 122.26 includes treatment works treating domestic sewage or any other sewage sludge or wastewater treatment device or system, used in the storage treatment, recycling, and reclamation of municipal or domestic sewage, including land dedicated to the disposal of sewage sludge that is located within the confines of the facility, with a design flow of 1.0 mgd or more, or are required to have an approved pretreatment program under 40 CFR part 403, as an industrial activity in which permit coverage is required.

In lieu of requiring sampling in the site-specific permit, the facility is required to develop and implement a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan. A facility can apply for conditional exclusion for “no exposure” of industrial activities and materials to stormwater by submitting to the Department a completed NPDES Form 3510-11 – No Exposure Certification for Exclusion from NPDES Stormwater Permitting. That document and additional information may be found at <http://water.epa.gov/polwaste/npdes/stormwater/Conditional-No-Exposure-Exclusion.cfm>. Upon approval on the “No Exposure”, the permit can be modified to remove the SWPPP requirements. If the facility chooses to retain the conditional exclusion for “no exposure”, the facility is required to renew the “No Exposure” exemption during the permit renewal period by submitting NPDES Form 3510-11 with Form B2.

**VARIANCE:**

As per the Missouri Clean Water Law § 644.061.4, variances shall be granted for such period of time and under such terms and conditions as shall be specified by the commission in its order. The variance may be extended by affirmative action of the commission. In no event shall the variance be granted for a period of time greater than is reasonably necessary for complying with the Missouri Clean Water Law §§644.006 to 644.141 or any standard, rule or regulation promulgated pursuant to Missouri Clean Water Law §§644.006 to 644.141.

- This operating permit is not drafted under premises of a petition for variance.

**WASTELOAD ALLOCATIONS (WLA) FOR LIMITS:**

As per [10 CSR 20-2.010(78)], the amount of pollutant each discharger is allowed by the Department to release into a given stream after the Department has determined total amount of pollutant that may be discharged into that stream without endangering its water quality.

Wasteload allocations were calculated where applicable using water quality criteria or water quality model results and the dilution equation below:

$$C_e = \frac{(Q_e + Q_s)C - (C_s \times Q_s)}{(Q_e)} \quad (\text{EPA/505/2-90-001, Section 4.5.5})$$

Where C = downstream concentration  
Cs = upstream concentration  
Qs = upstream flow  
Ce = effluent concentration  
Qe = effluent flow

Chronic wasteload allocations were determined using applicable chronic water quality criteria (CCC: criteria continuous concentration) and stream volume of flow at the edge of the mixing zone (MZ). Acute wasteload allocations were determined using applicable water quality criteria (CMC: criteria maximum concentration) and stream volume of flow at the edge of the zone of initial dilution (ZID).

Water quality based maximum daily and average monthly effluent limitations were calculated using methods and procedures outlined in USEPA’s “Technical Support Document For Water Quality-based Toxics Control” (EPA/505/2-90-001).

**Number of Samples “n”:**

Additionally, in accordance with the TSD for water quality-based permitting, effluent quality is determined by the underlying distribution of daily values, which is determined by the Long Term Average (LTA) associated with a particular Wasteload Allocation (WLA) and by the Coefficient of Variation (CV) of the effluent concentrations. Increasing or decreasing the monitoring frequency does not affect this underlying distribution or treatment performance, which should be, at a minimum, be targeted to comply with the values dictated by the WLA. Therefore, it is recommended that the actual planned frequency of monitoring normally be used to determine the value of “n” for calculating the AML. However, in situations where monitoring frequency is once per month or less, a higher value for “n” must be assumed for AML derivation purposes. Thus, the statistical procedure being employed using an assumed number of samples is “n = 4” at a minimum. For Total Ammonia as Nitrogen, “n = 30” is used

**WLA MODELING:**

There are two general types of effluent limitations, technology-based effluent limits (TBELs) and water quality based effluent limits (WQBELs). If TBELs do not provide adequate protection for the receiving waters, then WQBEL must be used.

- A WLA study was either not submitted or determined not applicable by Department staff.

**WATER QUALITY STANDARDS:**

Per [10 CSR 20-7.031(4)], General Criteria shall be applicable to all waters of the state at all times including mixing zones. Additionally, [40 CFR 122.44(d)(1)] directs the Department to establish in each NPDES permit to include conditions to achieve water quality established under Section 303 of the Clean Water Act, including State narrative criteria for water quality.

**WHOLE EFFLUENT TOXICITY (WET) TEST:**

A WET test is a quantifiable method of determining if a discharge from a facility may be causing toxicity to aquatic life by itself, in combination with or through synergistic responses when mixed with receiving stream water.

Under the federal Clean Water Act (CWA) §101(a)(3), requiring WET testing is reasonably appropriate for site-specific Missouri State Operating Permits for discharges to waters of the state issued under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES). WET testing is also required by 40 CFR 122.44(d)(1). WET testing ensures that the provisions in the 10 CSR 20-6.010(8)(A)7, and the Water Quality Standards 10 CSR 20-7.031(4)(D),(F),(G),(I)2.A & B are being met. Under [10 CSR 20-6.010(8)(A)4], the Department may require other terms and conditions that it deems necessary to assure compliance with the Clean Water Act and related regulations of the Missouri Clean Water Commission. In addition the following MCWL apply: §§644.051.3 requires the Department to set permit conditions that comply with the MCWL and CWA; 644.051.4 specifically references toxicity as an item we must consider in writing permits (along with water quality-based effluent limits, pretreatment, etc...); and 644.051.5 is the basic authority to require testing conditions. WET test will be required by facilities meeting the following criteria:

- Facility is a designated Major.
- Facility continuously or routinely exceeds its design flow.
- Facility exceeds its design population equivalent (PE) for BOD<sub>5</sub> whether or not its design flow is being exceeded.
- Facility handles large quantities of toxic substances, or substances that are toxic in large amounts.
- Facility has Water Quality-based Effluent Limitations for toxic substances (other than NH<sub>3</sub>)
- Facility is a municipality with a Design Flow ≥ 22,500 gpd.
- Other – please justify.

**40 CFR 122.41(M) - BYPASSES:**

The federal Clean Water Act (CWA), Section 402 prohibits wastewater dischargers from “bypassing” untreated or partially treated sewage (wastewater) beyond the headworks. A bypass is defined as an intentional diversion of waste streams from any portion of a treatment facility, [40 CFR 122.41(m)(1)(i)]. Additionally, Missouri regulation 10 CSR 20-7.015(9)(G) states a bypass means the intentional diversion of waste streams from any portion of a treatment facility, except in the case of blending, to waters of the state. Only under exceptional and specified limitations do the federal regulations allow for a facility to bypass some or all of the flow from its treatment process. Bypasses are prohibited by the CWA unless a permittee can meet all of the criteria listed in 40 CFR 122.41(m)(4)(i)(A), (B), & (C). Any bypasses from this facility are subject to the reporting required in 40 CFR 122.41(l)(6) and per Missouri’s Standard Conditions I, Section B, part 2.b. Additionally, Anticipated Bypasses include bypasses from peak flow basins or similar devices designed for peak wet weather flows.

- This facility does not anticipate bypassing.

**303(d) LIST & TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOAD (TMDL):**

Section 303(d) of the federal Clean Water Act requires that each state identify waters that are not meeting water quality standards and for which adequate water pollution controls have not been required. Water quality standards protect such beneficial uses of water as whole body contact (such as swimming), maintaining fish and other aquatic life, and providing drinking water for people, livestock and wildlife. The 303(d) list helps state and federal agencies keep track of waters that are impaired but not addressed by normal water pollution control programs.

A TMDL is a calculation of the maximum amount of a given pollutant that a body of water can absorb before its water quality is affected. If a water body is determined to be impaired as listed on the 303(d) list, then a watershed management plan will be developed that shall include the TMDL calculation

- This facility does not discharge to a 303(d) listed stream.

## **Part VI –2013 Water Quality Criteria for Ammonia**

Upcoming changes to the Water Quality Standard for ammonia may require significant upgrades to wastewater treatment facilities.

On August 22, 2013, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) finalized new water quality criteria for ammonia, based on toxicity studies of mussels and gill breathing snails. Missouri's current ammonia criteria are based on toxicity testing of several species, but did not include data from mussels or gill breathing snails. Missouri is home to 69 of North America's mussel species, which are spread across the state. According to the Missouri Department of Conservation nearly two-thirds of the mussel species in Missouri are considered to be "of conservation concern". Nine species are listed as federally endangered, with an additional species currently proposed as endangered and another species proposed as threatened.

The adult forms of mussels that are seen in rivers, lakes, and streams are sensitive to pollutants because they are sedentary filter feeders. They vacuum up many pollutants with the food they bring in and cannot escape to new habitats, so they can accumulate toxins in their bodies and die. But very young mussels, called glochidia, are exceptionally sensitive to ammonia in water. As a result of a citizen suit, the EPA was compelled to conduct toxicity testing and develop ammonia water quality criteria that would be protective if young mussels may be present in a waterbody. These new criteria will apply to any discharge with ammonia levels that may pose a reasonable potential to violate the standards. Nearly all discharging domestic wastewater treatment facilities (cities, subdivisions, mobile home parks, etc.), as well as certain industrial and stormwater dischargers with ammonia in their effluent, will be affected by this change in the regulations.

When new water quality criteria are established by the EPA, states must adopt them into their regulations in order to keep their authorization to issue permits under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES). States are required to review their water quality standards every three years, and if new criteria have been developed they must be adopted. States may be more protective than the Federal requirements, but not less protective. Missouri does not have the resources to conduct the studies necessary for developing new water quality standards, and therefore our standards mirror those developed by the EPA; however, we will utilize any available flexibility based on actual species of mussels that are native to Missouri and their sensitivity to ammonia.

Many treatment facilities in Missouri are currently scheduled to be upgraded to comply with the current water quality standards. But these new ammonia standards may require a different treatment technology than the one being considered by the permittee. It is important that permittees discuss any new and upcoming requirements with their consulting engineers to ensure that their treatment systems are capable of complying with the new requirements. The Department encourages permittees to construct treatment technologies that can attain effluent quality that supports the EPA ammonia criteria.

Ammonia toxicity varies by temperature and by pH of the water. Assuming a stable pH value, but taking into account winter and summer temperatures, Missouri includes two seasons of ammonia effluent limitations. Current effluent limitations in this permit are:

Summer – 5.4 mg/L daily maximum, 1.0 mg/L monthly average.  
Winter – 11.8 mg/L daily maximum, 2.2 mg/L monthly average.

Under the new EPA criteria, where mussels of the family Unionidae are present or expected to be present, the estimated effluent limitations for a facility in a location such as this that discharges to a receiving stream with no mixing will be:

Summer – 2.5 mg/L daily maximum, 0.5 mg/L monthly average.  
Winter – 8.1 mg/L daily maximum, 1.5 mg/L monthly average.

These estimated limits above are based in part on the actual performance of the plant at the time of the drafting of this permit and should not be construed as future effluent limitations. Future effluent limits, based on the EPA's 2013 water quality criteria for ammonia, will depend in part on the actual performance of the facility at the time the permit is renewed.

Operating permits for facilities in Missouri must be written based on current statutes and regulations. Therefore permits will be written with the existing effluent limitations until the new standards are adopted. To aid permittees in decision making, an advisory will be added to permit Fact Sheets notifying permittees of the expected effluent limitations for ammonia. When setting schedules of compliance for ammonia effluent limitations, consideration will be given to facilities that have recently constructed upgraded facilities to meet the current ammonia limitations.

For more information on this topic feel free to contact the Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Water Protection Program, Water Pollution Control Branch, Operating Permits Section at (573) 751-1300.

**Part VII – Effluent Limits Determination**

**APPLICABLE DESIGNATIONS OF WATERS OF THE STATE:**

As per Missouri’s Effluent Regulations [10 CSR 20-7.015], the waters of the state are divided into the below listed seven (7) categories. Each category lists effluent limitations for specific parameters, which are presented in each outfall’s Effluent Limitation Table and further discussed in the Derivation & Discussion of Limits section.

- Missouri or Mississippi River [10 CSR 20-7.015(2)]
- Lake or Reservoir [10 CSR 20-7.015(3)]
- Losing [10 CSR 20-7.015(4)]
- Metropolitan No-Discharge [10 CSR 20-7.015(5)]
- Special Stream [10 CSR 20-7.015(6)]
- Subsurface Water [10 CSR 20-7.015(7)]
- All Other Waters [10 CSR 20-7.015(8)]

**OUTFALL #001 – MAIN FACILITY OUTFALL**

Effluent limitations derived and established in the below Effluent Limitations Table are based on current operations of the facility. Future permit action due to facility modification may contain new operating permit terms and conditions that supersede the terms and conditions, including effluent limitations, of this operating permit.

**EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS TABLE:**

PARAMETER	Unit	Basis for Limits	Daily Maximum	Weekly Average	Monthly Average	Modified	Previous Permit Limitations
Flow	MGD	1	*		*	No	*/*
BOD <sub>5</sub>	mg/L	1		20	20	No	20/20
TSS	mg/L	1		45	30	No	45/30
Ammonia as N (Apr 1 –Sep 30)	mg/L	2, 3	5.4		1.0	Yes	5.7/1.3
Ammonia as N (Oct 1 – Mar 31)	mg/L	2, 3	11.8		2.2	Yes	11.4/2.7
Escherichia coli **	#/100mL	1, 3		1030	206	Yes	*/206
Oil & Grease	mg/L	1, 3	15		10	No	15/10
Total Nitrogen	mg/L	1	*		*	Yes	***
Total Phosphorus	mg/L	1	*		*	Yes	***
Cyanide, Amenable to Chlorination	µg/L	2, 3	*		*	No	*/*
Cadmium, Total Recoverable	µg/L	2, 3	*		*	No	*/*
Chromium III, Total Recoverable	µg/L	2, 3	*		*	No	*/*
Chromium VI, Total Dissolved	µg/L	2, 3	*		*	No	*/*
Copper, Total Recoverable	µg/L	2, 3	*		*	Yes	22.9/8.5
Lead, Total Recoverable	µg/L	2, 3	16.2		7.7	Yes	14.3/4.6
Nickel, Total Recoverable	µg/L	2, 3	*		*	Yes	135.4/61.3
Silver, Total Recoverable	µg/L	2, 3	*		*	Yes	8.7/4.3
Zinc, Total Recoverable	µg/L	2, 3	249.8		107.4	Yes	183.9/76.4
Acute Whole Effluent Toxicity	TUa	1, 9	*			Yes	Pass/Fail
Chronic Whole Effluent Toxicity	TUc	1, 9	*			Yes	Pass/Fail
PARAMETER	Unit	Basis for Limits	Minimum		Maximum	Modified	Previous Permit Limitations
pH	SU	1	6.5		9.0	Yes	6.0-9.0

\* - Monitoring requirement only.

\*\* - #/100mL; the Monthly Average for *E. coli* is a geometric mean.

\*\*\* - Parameter was not previously established in previous state operating permit.

**Basis for Limitations Codes:**

- |  |                                   |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 1. State or Federal Regulation/Law       | 6. Water Quality Model            |
| 2. Water Quality Standard (includes RPA) | 7. Best Professional Judgment     |
| 3. Water Quality Based Effluent Limits   | 8. TMDL or Permit in lieu of TMDL |
| 4. Antidegradation Review                | 9. WET Test Policy                |
| 5. Antidegradation Policy                |                                   |

**OUTFALL #001 – DERIVATION AND DISCUSSION OF LIMITS:**

- **Flow**. In accordance with [40 CFR Part 122.44(i)(1)(ii)] the volume of effluent discharged from each outfall is needed to assure compliance with permitted effluent limitations. If the permittee is unable to obtain effluent flow, then it is the responsibility of the permittee to inform the Department, which may require the submittal of an operating permit modification.
- **Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD<sub>5</sub>)**. Effluent limitations from the previous state operating permit have been reassessed and verified that they are protective of the receiving stream’s water quality, please see the **APPLICABLE DESIGNATION OF WATERS OF THE STATE** sub-section of the **Effluent Limits Determination**.
- **Total Suspended Solids (TSS)**. Effluent limitations from the previous state operating permit have been reassessed and verified that they are protective of the receiving stream’s water quality, please see the **APPLICABLE DESIGNATION OF WATERS OF THE STATE** sub-section of the **Effluent Limits Determination**.
- **Total Ammonia Nitrogen**. Early Life Stages Present Total Ammonia Nitrogen criteria apply [10 CSR 20-7.031(5)(B)7.C. & Table B3]. Background total ammonia nitrogen = 0.01 mg/L. No mixing considerations allowed; therefore, WLA = appropriate criterion.

Season	Temp (°C)	pH (SU)	Total Ammonia Nitrogen CCC (mg/L)	Total Ammonia Nitrogen CMC (mg/L)
Summer	26	7.8	1.5	12.1
Winter	6	7.8	3.1	12.1

**Summer: April 1 – September 30**

Chronic WLA:  $C_e = ((3.72 + 0.0)1.5 - (0.0 * 0.01))/3.72$   
 $C_e = 1.5 \text{ mg/L}$

Acute WLA:  $C_e = ((3.72 + 0.0)12.1 - (0.0 * 0.01))/3.72$   
 $C_e = 12.1 \text{ mg/L}$

$LTA_c = 1.5 \text{ mg/L} (0.317) = 0.47 \text{ mg/L}$   
 $LTA_a = 12.1 \text{ mg/L} (0.088) = 1.07 \text{ mg/L}$

[CV = 3.34, 99<sup>th</sup> Percentile, 30 day avg.]  
 [CV = 3.34, 99<sup>th</sup> Percentile]

Use most protective number of  $LTA_c$  or  $LTA_a$ .

MDL = 0.47 mg/L (11.33) = **5.4 mg/L**  
 AML = 0.47 mg/L (2.15) = **1.0 mg/L**

[CV = 3.34, 99<sup>th</sup> Percentile]  
 [CV = 3.34, 95<sup>th</sup> Percentile, n =30]

**Winter: October 1 – March 31**

Chronic WLA:  $C_e = ((3.72 + 0.0)3.1 - (0.0 * 0.01))/3.72$   
 $C_e = 3.1 \text{ mg/L}$

Acute WLA:  $C_e = ((3.72 + 0.0)12.1 - (0.0 * 0.01))/3.72$   
 $C_e = 12.1 \text{ mg/L}$

$LTA_c = 3.1 \text{ mg/L} (0.362) = 1.12 \text{ mg/L}$   
 $LTA_a = 12.1 \text{ mg/L} (0.095) = 1.15 \text{ mg/L}$

[CV = 2.84, 99<sup>th</sup> Percentile, 30 day avg.]  
 [CV = 2.84, 99<sup>th</sup> Percentile]

Use most protective number of  $LTA_c$  or  $LTA_a$ .

MDL = 1.12 mg/L (10.50) = **11.8 mg/L**  
 AML = 1.12 mg/L (1.98) = **2.2 mg/L**

[CV = 2.84, 99<sup>th</sup> Percentile]  
 [CV = 2.84, 95<sup>th</sup> Percentile, n =30]

- **Escherichia coli (E. coli).** Monthly average of 206 per 100 mL as a geometric mean and Weekly Average of 1030 per 100 mL as a geometric mean during the recreational season (April 1 – October 31), to protect Whole Body Contact Recreation (B) designated use of the receiving stream, as per 10 CSR 20-7.031(5)(C). An effluent limit for both monthly average and weekly average is required by 40 CFR 122.45(d). The Geometric Mean is calculated by multiplying all of the data points and then taking the nth root of this product, where n = # of samples collected. For example: Five E. coli samples were collected with results of 1, 4, 6, 10, and 5 (#/100mL). Geometric Mean = 5<sup>th</sup> root of (1)(4)(6)(10)(5) = 5<sup>th</sup> root of 1,200 = 4.1 #/100mL.
- **Oil & Grease.** Conventional pollutant, effluent limitation for protection of aquatic life; 10 mg/L monthly average, 15 mg/L daily maximum.
- **Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen.** Monitoring required for facilities greater than 100,000 gpd design flow per 10 CSR 20-7.015(9)(D)7. Total Nitrogen shall be determined by testing for Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (TKN) and Nitrate + Nitrite and reporting the sum of the results (reported as N). Nitrate + Nitrite can be analyzed together or separately.
- **pH.** 6.5-9.0 SU. Technology based effluent limitations of 6.0-9.0 SU [10 CSR 20-7.015] are not protective of the Water Quality Standard, which states that water contaminants shall not cause pH to be outside the range of 6.5-9.0 SU. No mixing zone is allowed due to the classification of the receiving stream, therefore the water quality standard must be met at the outfall.
- **Cyanide, Amenable to Chlorination.** Staff conducted a RPA on Cyanide, Amenable to Chlorination and determined that effluent from this facility does not have potential to cause or contribute to excursions of Missouri’s Water Quality Standards. However, this facility receives industrial process wastewater from a Categorical Industry with an Effluent Limitation Guideline that establishes Cyanide as a Pollutant of Concern. Therefore, the monitoring only requirement shall be retained. Please see **Appendix – RPA Results.**

**Metals**

Effluent limitations for total recoverable metals were developed using methods and procedures outlined in the “Technical Support Document for Water Quality-based Toxic Controls” (EPA/505/2-90-001) and “The Metals Translator: Guidance for Calculating a Total Recoverable Permit Limit from a Dissolved Criterion” (EPA 823-B-96-007). General warm-water fishery criteria apply and a water hardness of 238 mg/L is used in the conversion below. However, this does not apply to copper criteria which were established in a Water Effects Ratio (WER) study.

Due to the absence of contemporaneous effluent and instream data for total recoverable metals, dissolved metals, hardness, and total suspended solids with which to calculate metals translators, partitioning between the dissolved and absorbed phases was assumed to be minimal (Section 5.7.3, EPA/505/2-90-001). Freshwater criteria conversion factors for dissolved metals were used as the metals translator as recommended in guidance (Section 1.3, 1.5.3, and Table 1, EPA 823-B-96-007). If concurrent site-specific data for total recoverable metals, dissolved metals, hardness, and total suspended solids are provided to the Department, partitioning evaluations may be considered and site-specific translators developed.

METAL	CONVERSION FACTORS	
	ACUTE	CHRONIC
Copper	0.960	0.960
Lead	0.665	0.665
Zinc	0.980	0.980

Conversion factors for Cu, Pb, and Zn are hardness dependent. Values calculated using equation found in Section 1.3 of EPA 823-B-96-007 and hardness = 238 mg/L. The hardness used for WER established site-specific copper criteria was 232 mg/L.

- **Cadmium, Total Recoverable.** Staff conducted a RPA on Cadmium and determined that effluent from this facility does not have potential to cause or contribute to excursions of Missouri’s Water Quality Standards. However, this facility receives industrial process wastewater from a Categorical Industry with an Effluent Limitation Guideline that establishes Cadmium as a Pollutant of Concern. Therefore, the monitoring only requirement shall be retained. Please see **Appendix – RPA Results.**
- **Chromium III, Total Recoverable.** Staff conducted a RPA on Chromium III and determined that effluent from this facility does not have potential to cause or contribute to excursions of Missouri’s Water Quality Standards. However, this facility receives industrial process wastewater from a Categorical Industry with an Effluent Limitation Guideline that establishes Chromium III as a Pollutant of Concern. Therefore, the monitoring only requirement shall be retained. Please see **Appendix – RPA Results.**

- **Chromium VI, Total Dissolved.** Staff conducted a RPA on Chromium VI and determined that effluent from this facility does not have potential to cause or contribute to excursions of Missouri's Water Quality Standards. However, this facility receives industrial process wastewater from a Categorical Industry with an Effluent Limitation Guideline that establishes Chromium VI as a Pollutant of Concern. Therefore, the monitoring only requirement shall be retained. Please see **Appendix – RPA Results.**
- **Copper, Total Recoverable.** Monitoring only; site-specific WER established copper criteria for discharges from Jackson Municipal WWTP to Goose Creek of 87 µg/L for acute and 54 µg/L for chronic. Staff conducted a RPA on copper and determined that effluent from this facility does not have potential to cause or contribute to excursions of these site-specific criteria. Please see **Appendix – RPA Results.**
- **Lead, Total Recoverable.** Protection of Aquatic Life Chronic Criteria = 6.4 µg/L, Acute Criteria = 164 µg/L.  
Chronic =  $6.4/0.665 = 9.60$  µg/L  
Acute =  $164/0.665 = 246.10$  µg/L

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Chronic WLA: } C_e &= ((3.72 + 0.0)9.60 - (0.0 * 0.0))/3.72 \\ &C_e = 9.60 \text{ µg/L} \\ \text{Acute WLA: } C_e &= ((3.72 + 0.0)246.10 - (0.0 * 0.0))/3.72 \\ &C_e = 246.10 \text{ µg/L} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LTA}_c &= 9.60 (0.291) = 4.7 \text{ µg/L} && [\text{CV} = 0.67, 99^{\text{th}} \text{ Percentile}] \\ \text{LTA}_a &= 246.10 (0.493) = 71.7 \text{ µg/L} && [\text{CV} = 0.67, 99^{\text{th}} \text{ Percentile}] \end{aligned}$$

Use most protective number of  $\text{LTA}_c$  or  $\text{LTA}_a$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MDL} &= 4.7 (3.43) = \mathbf{16.2 \text{ µg/L}} && [\text{CV} = 0.67, 99^{\text{th}} \text{ Percentile}] \\ \text{AML} &= 4.7 (1.62) = \mathbf{7.7 \text{ µg/L}} && [\text{CV} = 0.67, 95^{\text{th}} \text{ Percentile, } n = 4] \end{aligned}$$

- **Nickel, Total Recoverable.** Staff conducted a RPA on Nickel and determined that effluent from this facility does not have potential to cause or contribute to excursions of Missouri's Water Quality Standards. However, this facility receives industrial process wastewater from a Categorical Industry with an Effluent Limitation Guideline that establishes Nickel as a Pollutant of Concern. Therefore, the monitoring only requirement shall be retained. Please see **Appendix – RPA Results.**
- **Silver, Total Recoverable.** Staff conducted a RPA on Silver and determined that effluent from this facility does not have potential to cause or contribute to excursions of Missouri's Water Quality Standards. However, this facility receives industrial process wastewater from a Categorical Industry with an Effluent Limitation Guideline that establishes Silver as a Pollutant of Concern. Therefore, the monitoring only requirement shall be retained. Please see **Appendix – RPA Results.**
- **Zinc, Total Recoverable.** Protection of Aquatic Life Chronic Criteria = 244.8 µg/L, Acute Criteria = 244.8 µg/L.  
Chronic =  $244.8/0.980 = 249.80$  µg/L  
Acute =  $244.8/0.980 = 249.80$  µg/L

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Chronic WLA: } C_e &= ((3.72 + 0.0) 249.80 - (0.0 * 0.0))/3.72 \\ &C_e = 249.80 \text{ µg/L} \\ \text{Acute WLA: } C_e &= ((3.72 + 0.0) 249.80 - (0.0 * 0.0))/3.72 \\ &C_e = 249.80 \text{ µg/L} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LTA}_c &= 249.80 (0.242) = 107.3 \text{ µg/L} && [\text{CV} = 0.83, 99^{\text{th}} \text{ Percentile}] \\ \text{LTA}_a &= 249.80 (0.429) = 60.45 \text{ µg/L} && [\text{CV} = 0.83, 99^{\text{th}} \text{ Percentile}] \end{aligned}$$

Use most protective number of  $\text{LTA}_c$  or  $\text{LTA}_a$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MDL} &= 60.45 (4.13) = \mathbf{249.8 \text{ µg/L}} && [\text{CV} = 0.83, 99^{\text{th}} \text{ Percentile}] \\ \text{AML} &= 60.45 (1.78) = \mathbf{107.4 \text{ µg/L}} && [\text{CV} = 0.83, 95^{\text{th}} \text{ Percentile, } n = 4] \end{aligned}$$

**Whole Effluent Toxicity**

- **Acute Whole Effluent Toxicity.** Monitoring requirement only. Monitoring is required to determine if reasonable potential exists for this facility’s discharge to exceed water quality standards

Acute and/or Chronic Allowable Effluent Concentrations (AECs) for facilities that discharge to Waters of the State lacking designated uses, Class C, Class P (with default Mixing Considerations), or Lakes [10 CSR 20-7.031(5)(A)4.B.(IV)(b)] are 100%, 50%, 25%, 12.5%, & 6.25%.

- **Chronic Whole Effluent Toxicity.** Monitoring requirement only. Monitoring is required to determine if reasonable potential exists for this facility’s discharge to exceed water quality standards.

Acute and/or Chronic Allowable Effluent Concentrations (AECs) for facilities that discharge to Waters of the State lacking designated uses, Class C, Class P (with default Mixing Considerations), or Lakes [10 CSR 20-7.031(5)(A)4.B.(IV)(b)] are 100%, 50%, 25%, 12.5%, & 6.25%.

- **Parameters Removed.** Temperature monitoring has been removed from this permit as there is no reasonable potential for it to cause an excursion of water quality standards. Total Toxic Organics (TTO) sampling has been removed from this permit as well. TTO sampling has yielded only non-detects for all parameters tested. Because of this, TTO is no longer being required to determine the protection of water quality.

**Minimum Sampling and Reporting Frequency Requirements.**

PARAMETER	SAMPLING FREQUENCY	REPORTING FREQUENCY
Flow	once/day	once/month
BOD <sub>5</sub>	once/week	once/month
TSS	once/week	once/month
pH	once/week	once/month
Ammonia as N	once/week	once/month
<i>E. coli</i>	once/week	once/month
Oil & Grease	once/quarter	once/quarter
Total Phosphorus	once/quarter	once/quarter
Total Nitrogen	once/quarter	once/quarter
Cyanide, Amenable to Chlorination	once/quarter	once/quarter
Cadmium, Total Recoverable	once/quarter	once/quarter
Chromium III, Total Recoverable	once/quarter	once/quarter
Chromium VI, Total Dissolved	once/quarter	once/quarter
Copper, Total Recoverable	once/quarter	once/quarter
Lead, Total Recoverable	once/quarter	once/quarter
Nickel, Total Recoverable	once/quarter	once/quarter
Silver, Total Recoverable	once/quarter	once/quarter
Zinc, Total Recoverable	once/quarter	once/quarter
Acute Whole Effluent Toxicity	once/year	once/year
Chronic Whole Effluent Toxicity	once/permit cycle	once/permit cycle

**Sampling Frequency Justification:**

Sampling and reporting frequency was retained from previous permit except for Oil & Grease which has been reduced from monthly to quarterly due to satisfactory facility performance.

**WET Test Sampling Frequency Justification.** WET Testing schedules and intervals are established in accordance with the Department’s Permit Manual; Section 5.2 *Effluent Limits / WET Testing for Compliance Bio-monitoring*. It is recommended that WET testing be conducted during the period of lowest stream flow. Acute WET Tests shall be conducted no less than once per year for facilities designated as a Major facility and/or for facilities that have Water Quality-based effluent limits for toxic substances other than ammonia. Chronic WET Tests shall be conducted no less than once per permit cycle for POTW facilities with a design flow of 1 MGD or greater.

**Sampling Type Justification:**

As per 10 CSR 20-7.015, BOD<sub>5</sub>, TSS, Total Recoverable metals, and WET test samples collected for mechanical plants shall be a 24 hour composite sample. Grab samples, however, must be collected for pH, Ammonia as N, *E. coli*, Oil & Grease, Total Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus, Cyanide, and Total Dissolved Chromium VI. This is due to the holding time restriction for *E. coli*, the volatility of Ammonia, and the fact that pH cannot be preserved and must be sampled in the field. As Ammonia, Oil & Grease, Total Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus, and Chromium VI samples must be immediately preserved, these samples are to be collected as a grab.

**PERMITTED FEATURE #SM1 – INSTREAM MONITORING (UPSTREAM)**

**MONITORING REQUIREMENTS TABLE:**

PARAMETER	Unit	Basis for Limits	Daily Maximum	Weekly Average	Monthly Average	Modified	Previous Permit Limitations
Total Nitrogen	mg/L	7	*		*	Yes	****
Total Phosphorus	mg/L	7	*		*	Yes	****

\* - Monitoring requirement only.

\*\*\* - Parameter was not previously established in previous state operating permit.

**Basis for Limitations Codes:**

- |  |                                   |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 1. State or Federal Regulation/Law       | 6. Water Quality Model            |
| 2. Water Quality Standard (includes RPA) | 7. Best Professional Judgment     |
| 3. Water Quality Based Effluent Limits   | 8. TMDL or Permit in lieu of TMDL |
| 4. Antidegradation Review                | 9. WET Test Policy                |
| 5. Antidegradation Policy                |                                   |

**PERMITTED FEATURE #SM1 – DERIVATION AND DISCUSSION OF MONITORING REQUIREMENTS:**

- **Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen.** Facilities with a design flow greater than 100,000 gallons per day are required to sample their effluent quarterly for Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen per 10 CSR 20-7.015(9)(D)7. Upstream monitoring for these parameters is necessary to determine background stream concentrations in order to complete calculations that determine instream nutrient loading.

**Minimum Sampling and Reporting Frequency Requirements.**

PARAMETER	SAMPLING FREQUENCY	REPORTING FREQUENCY
Total Phosphorus	once/quarter	once/quarter
Total Nitrogen	once/quarter	once/quarter

**Sampling Frequency Justification:**

The sampling and reporting frequency for Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen has been established to match the required sampling frequency of these parameters in the effluent.

**Sampling Type Justification**

As Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen samples must be immediately preserved; these samples are to be collected as a grab.

**PERMITTED FEATURE #SM2 – INSTREAM MONITORING (DOWNSTREAM)**

**MONITORING REQUIREMENTS TABLE:**

PARAMETER	Unit	Basis for Limits	Daily Maximum	Weekly Average	Monthly Average	Modified	Previous Permit Limitations
Total Hardness	mg/L	3	*		*	Yes	***

\* - Monitoring requirement only.

\*\*\* - Parameter was not previously established in previous state operating permit.

**Basis for Limitations Codes:**

- |  |                                   |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 1. State or Federal Regulation/Law       | 6. Water Quality Model            |
| 2. Water Quality Standard (includes RPA) | 7. Best Professional Judgment     |
| 3. Water Quality Based Effluent Limits   | 8. TMDL or Permit in lieu of TMDL |
| 4. Antidegradation Review                | 9. WET Test Policy                |
| 5. Antidegradation Policy                |                                   |

**PERMITTED FEATURE #SM2 – DERIVATION AND DISCUSSION OF MONITORING REQUIREMENTS:**

- **Total Hardness.** Downstream hardness monitoring has been added to the permit in order to develop a site-specific hardness for determining reasonable potential and calculating hardness-dependent metals limits.

**Minimum Sampling and Reporting Frequency Requirements.**

PARAMETER	SAMPLING FREQUENCY	REPORTING FREQUENCY
Total Hardness	once/quarter	once/quarter

**Sampling Frequency Justification:**

The sampling and reporting frequency for Total Hardness has been established to match the required sampling frequency of the metals parameters in the effluent.

**Sampling Type Justification**

As Total Hardness samples must be immediately preserved; these samples are to be collected as a grab.

**Part VIII – Cost Analysis for Compliance**

Pursuant to Section 644.145, RSMo, when issuing permits under this chapter that incorporate a new requirement for discharges from publicly owned combined or separate sanitary or storm sewer systems or publicly owned treatment works, or when enforcing provisions of this chapter or the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq., pertaining to any portion of a publicly owned combined or separate sanitary or storm sewer system or [publicly owned] treatment works, the Department of Natural Resources shall make a “finding of affordability” on the costs to be incurred and the impact of any rate changes on ratepayers upon which to base such permits and decisions, to the extent allowable under this chapter and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act. This process is completed through a cost analysis for compliance. Permits that do not include new requirements may be deemed affordable.

- The Department is required to determine “findings of affordability” because the permit applies to a combined or separate sanitary sewer system for a publically-owned treatment works.

**Cost Analysis for Compliance** - The Department has made a reasonable search for empirical data indicating the permit is affordable. The search consisted of a review of Department records that might contain economic data on the community, a review of information provided by the applicant as part of the application, and public comments received in response to public notices of this draft permit. If the empirical cost data was used by the permit writer, this data may consist of median household income, any other ongoing projects that the Department has knowledge, and other demographic financial information that the community provided as contemplated by Section 644. 145.3. See **Appendix – Cost Analysis for Compliance**

**Part IX – Administrative Requirements**

On the basis of preliminary staff review and the application of applicable standards and regulations, the Department, as administrative agent for the Missouri Clean Water Commission, proposes to issue a permit(s) subject to certain effluent limitations, schedules, and special conditions contained herein and within the operating permit. The proposed determinations are tentative pending public comment.

**PERMIT SYNCHRONIZATION:**

The Department of Natural Resources is currently undergoing a synchronization process for operating permits. Permits are normally issued on a five-year term, but to achieve synchronization many permits will need to be issued for less than the full five years allowed by regulation. The intent is that all permits within a watershed will move through the Watershed Based Management (WBM) cycle together will all expire in the same fiscal year. This will allow further streamlining by placing multiple permits within a smaller geographic area on public notice simultaneously, thereby reducing repeated administrative efforts. This will also allow the Department to explore a watershed based permitting effort at some point in the future. Renewal applications must continue to be submitted within 180 days of expiration, however, in instances where effluent data from the previous renewal is less than 4 years old, that data may be re-submitted to meet the requirements of the renewal application. If the permit provides a schedule of compliance for meeting new water quality based effluent limits beyond the expiration date of the permit, the time remaining in the schedule of compliance will be allotted in the renewed permit. This permit will expire in the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter of calendar year 2017.

**PUBLIC NOTICE:**

The Department shall give public notice that a draft permit has been prepared and its issuance is pending. Additionally, public notice will be issued if a public hearing is to be held because of a significant degree of interest in and water quality concerns related to a draft permit. No public notice is required when a request for a permit modification or termination is denied; however, the requester and permittee must be notified of the denial in writing. The Department must issue public notice of a pending operating permit or of a new or reissued statewide general permit. The public comment period is the length of time not less than 30 days following the date of the public notice which interested persons may submit written comments about the proposed permit. For persons wanting to submit comments regarding this proposed operating permit, then please refer to the Public Notice page located at the front of this draft operating permit. The Public Notice page gives direction on how and where to submit appropriate comments.

☒ - The Public Notice period for this operating permit was from May 1, 2015 – June 1, 2015. The City commented on incorporating site-specific criteria for Total Recoverable Copper through a Water Effects Ratio (WER) study. They also commented on some of the costs in the cost analysis and pretreatment program requirements. This operating permit was placed on Public Notice again, which was from April 8, 2016 – May 10, 2016 due to modifications in copper effluent limits made as a result of the WER study conducted. During the second Public Notice period, the City made comments about sample type adjustments, WET test dates, and instream monitoring location and flows. Responses to the second Public Notice of this operating permit warranted minor adjustments, but did not warrant the modification of effluent limits and/or the terms and conditions of this permit.

**DATE OF FACT SHEET:** APRIL 20, 2015

**COMPLETED BY:**

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**Appendices**

**APPENDIX - CLASSIFICATION WORKSHEET:**

ITEM	POINTS POSSIBLE	POINTS ASSIGNED
Maximum Population Equivalent (P.E.) served (Max 10 pts.)	1 pt./10,000 PE or major fraction thereof.	2
Maximum: 10 pt Design Flow (avg. day) or peak month; use greater (Max 10 pts.)	1 pt. / MGD or major fraction thereof.	2
<b>EFFLUENT DISCHARGE RECEIVING WATER SENSITIVITY:</b>		
Missouri or Mississippi River	0	
All other stream discharges except to losing streams and stream reaches supporting whole body contact	1	
Discharge to lake or reservoir outside of designated whole body contact recreational area	2	
Discharge to losing stream, or stream, lake or reservoir area supporting whole body contact recreation	3	3
<b>PRELIMINARY TREATMENT - Headworks</b>		
Screening and/or comminution	3	3
Grit removal	3	3
Plant pumping of main flow (lift station at the headworks)	3	3
<b>PRIMARY TREATMENT</b>		
Primary clarifiers	5	
Combined sedimentation/digestion	5	
Chemical addition (except chlorine, enzymes)	4	
<b>REQUIRED LABORATORY CONTROL – performed by plant personnel (highest level only)</b>		
Push – button or visual methods for simple test such as pH, Settleable solids	3	
Additional procedures such as DO, COD, BOD, titrations, solids, volatile content	5	
More advanced determinations such as BOD seeding procedures, fecal coliform, nutrients, total oils, phenols, etc.	7	7
Highly sophisticated instrumentation, such as atomic absorption and gas chromatograph	10	
<b>ALTERNATIVE FATE OF EFFLUENT</b>		
Direct reuse or recycle of effluent	6	
Land Disposal – low rate	3	
High rate	5	
Overland flow	4	
<b>Total from page ONE (1)</b>	----	23

**APPENDIX - CLASSIFICATION WORKSHEET (CONTINUED):**

ITEM	POINTS POSSIBLE	POINTS ASSIGNED
<b>VARIATION IN RAW WASTE (highest level only) (DMR exceedances and Design Flow exceedances)</b>		
Variation do not exceed those normally or typically expected	0	0
Recurring deviations or excessive variations of 100 to 200 % in strength and/or flow	2	
Recurring deviations or excessive variations of more than 200 % in strength and/or flow	4	
Raw wastes subject to toxic waste discharge	6	
<b>SECONDARY TREATMENT</b>		
Trickling filter and other fixed film media with secondary clarifiers	10	
Activated sludge with secondary clarifiers (including extended aeration and oxidation ditches)	15	15
Stabilization ponds without aeration	5	
Aerated lagoon	8	
Advanced Waste Treatment Polishing Pond	2	
Chemical/physical – without secondary	15	
Chemical/physical – following secondary	10	
Biological or chemical/biological	12	
Carbon regeneration	4	
<b>DISINFECTION</b>		
Chlorination or comparable	5	
Dechlorination	2	
On-site generation of disinfectant (except UV light)	5	
UV light	4	4
<b>SOLIDS HANDLING - SLUDGE</b>		
Solids Handling Thickening	5	5
Anaerobic digestion	10	
Aerobic digestion	6	6
Evaporative sludge drying	2	
Mechanical dewatering	8	
Solids reduction (incineration, wet oxidation)	12	
Land application	6	6
Total from page <b>TWO (2)</b>	----	36
Total from page <b>ONE (1)</b>	---	23
<b>Grand Total</b>	---	59

- A: 71 points and greater
- B: 51 points – 70 points
- C: 26 points – 50 points
- D: 0 points – 25 points

**APPENDIX – RPA RESULTS:**

Parameter	CMC*	RWC Acute*	CCC*	RWC Chronic*	n**	Range max/min	CV***	MF	RP Yes/No
Total Ammonia as Nitrogen (Summer) mg/L	12.1	32.77	1.5	32.77	30.00	4.5/0.05	3.34	7.28	YES
Total Ammonia as Nitrogen (Winter) mg/L	12.1	19.34	3.1	19.34	31.00	3.08/0.05	2.84	6.28	YES
Cadmium, Total Recoverable	Effluent data from the past five years submitted by the permittee shows all non-detects below the Water Quality Standard; therefore, there is no reasonable potential.								NO
Chromium III, Total Recoverable	Effluent data from the past five years submitted by the permittee shows all non-detects below the Water Quality Standard; therefore, there is no reasonable potential.								NO
Chromium VI, Total Dissolved	Effluent data from the past five years submitted by the permittee shows all non-detects below the Water Quality Standard; therefore, there is no reasonable potential.								NO
Copper, Total Recoverable	86.6	44.76	53.6	44.76	20.00	21/2	0.54	2.13	NO
Lead, Total Recoverable	246.1	25.04	9.6	25.04	20.00	10/0.243	0.67	2.50	YES
Nickel, Total Recoverable	977.7	23.69	108.7	23.69	19.00	19/4	0.31	1.25	NO
Silver, Total Recoverable	16.8	6.94	NA	NA	19.00	5/1.5	0.47	1.39	NO
Zinc, Total Recoverable	249.8	737.83	249.8	737.83	20.00	249/3	0.83	2.96	YES
Cyanide, Amenable to Chlorination	Effluent data from the past five years submitted by the permittee shows all non-detects below the Water Quality Standard; therefore, there is no reasonable potential.								NO

N/A – Not Applicable

\* - Units are (µg/L) unless otherwise noted.

\*\* - If the number of samples is 10 or greater, then the CV value must be used in the WQBEL for the applicable constituent. If the number of samples is < 10, then the default CV value must be used in the WQBEL for the applicable constituent.

\*\*\* - Coefficient of Variation (CV) is calculated by dividing the Standard Deviation of the sample set by the Mean of the same sample set.

RWC – Receiving Water Concentration. It is the concentration of a toxicant or the parameter toxicity in the receiving water after mixing (if applicable).

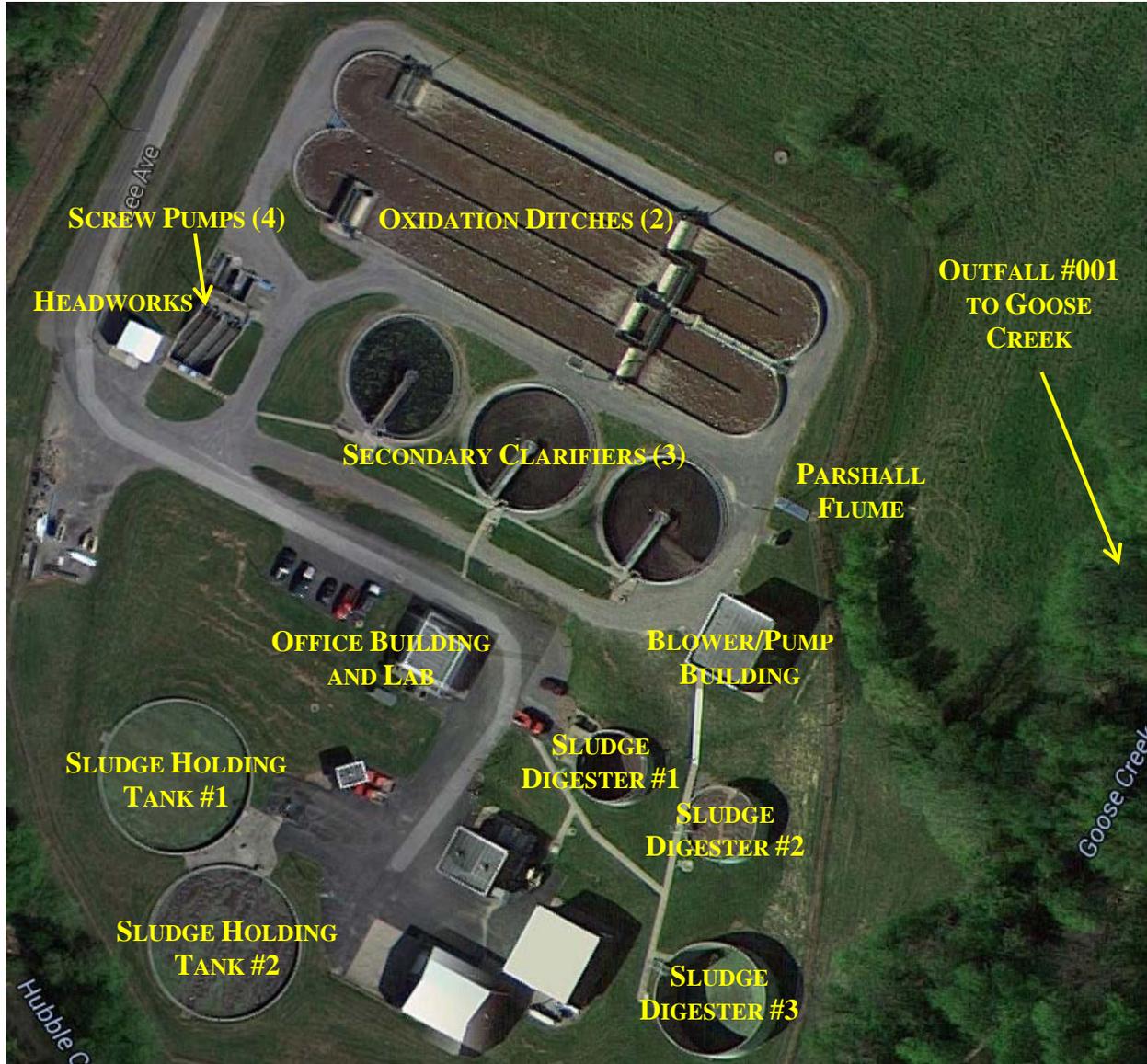
n – Is the number of samples.

MF – Multiplying Factor. 99% Confidence Level and 99% Probability Basis.

RP – Reasonable Potential. It is where an effluent is projected or calculated to cause an excursion above a water quality standard based on a number of factors including, as a minimum, the four factors listed in 40 CFR 122.44(d)(1)(ii).

Reasonable Potential Analysis is conducted as per (TSD, EPA/505/2-90-001, Section 3.3.2). A more detailed version including calculations of this RPA is available upon request.

**APPENDIX – FACILITY LAYOUT:**



**APPENDIX – COST ANALYSIS FOR COMPLIANCE:**

**Missouri Department of Natural Resources  
Water Protection Program  
Cost Analysis for Compliance  
(In accordance with RSMo 644.145)**

**Jackson Municipal WWTP, Permit Renewal  
City of Jackson  
Missouri State Operating Permit #MO-0022853**

Section 644.145 RSMo requires the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to make a “finding of affordability” when “issuing permits under” or “enforcing provisions of” state or federal clean water laws “pertaining to any portion of a combined or separate sanitary sewer system for publicly-owned treatment works.”

The Department is required to issue a permit with final effluent limits in accordance with 644.051.1.(1) RSMo, 644.051.1.(2) RSMo, and the Clean Water Act. The practical result of many affordability findings will be to allow longer compliance schedules to mitigate adverse impact to distressed populations resulting from the costs of upgrading the wastewater treatment facility.

This cost analysis is based on data available to the Department as provided by the permittee and data obtained from readily available sources. For the most accurate analysis, it is essential that the permittee provides the Department with current information about the City’s financial and socioeconomic situation.

**Facility Description:** Mechanical bar screen / grit chamber / comminutor / 4 influent screw pumps / 2 oxidation ditches / 3 final clarifiers / UV disinfection / 3 aerobic sludge digesters / 2 sludge holding tanks / lime stabilization of sludge / sludge is land applied

Residential Connections:	<u>5,597</u>
Commercial Connections:	<u>538</u>
Industrial Connections:	<u>2</u>
Total Connections for this facility:	<u>6,137</u>

**New Permit Requirements:**

The permit requires compliance with new monitoring requirements for Total Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus, and Chronic WET Testing. There is also a new requirement to develop and implement a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP).

**Anticipated Costs Associated with Complying with the New Requirements:**

The total cost estimated for new quarterly nutrient monitoring requirements is \$800 annually. A Chronic WET Test is estimated at \$1,550. The cost to develop and implement a SWPPP has been estimated by the Department to be \$10,000 over five years. This would be an estimated \$4,350 annually. These costs, if financed through user fees, might cost each household an extra \$0.06<sup>1</sup> per month. A community sets their user rates based on several factors. The percentage of the current user rate that is available to cover new debt is unknown to the Department.

**(1) A community’s financial capability and ability to raise or secure necessary funding;**

Due to the minimal cost associated with this new permit requirement, the Department anticipates the City of Jackson has the means to raise \$800 annually for nutrient testing, \$1,550 each permit cycle for WET Testing, and a cost of \$10,000 over five years for a SWPPP.

**(2) Affordability of pollution control options for the individuals or households at or below the median household income level of the community;**

The total cost estimated for the new permit requirements is \$4,350 annually. This cost, if financed through user fees, might cost each household an extra \$0.06 per month. This would make the additional cost per household as a percent of median household income (MHI) 0.002%<sup>2</sup> based on the State’s MHI of \$47,333. The State’s MHI is used because it is less than the City’s MHI of \$52,182. Due to the minimal cost associated with these new requirements, the Department anticipates an extremely low to no rate increase will be necessary that could impact individuals or households of the community.

**(3) An evaluation of the overall costs and environmental benefits of the control technologies;**

Nutrients are mineral compounds that are required for organisms to grow and thrive. Of the six (6) elemental macronutrients, Nitrogen and Phosphorus are generally not readily available and limit growth of organisms. If excess Nitrogen and Phosphorus are introduced into a waterbody, some species' populations will dramatically increase, while other populations will not be able to sustain life. This causes a shift in the ecosystem's food web. Competition and productivity are two factors in which nutrients can alter aquatic ecosystems and the designated uses of a waterbody. For example, designated uses, like drinking water source or recreational uses, become impaired when algal blooms take over a waterbody. These blooms can cause foul tastes and odors in the drinking water, and also cause unsightly appearance, and fish mortality in the waterbody. Some algae also produce toxins that may cause serious adverse health conditions such as liver damage, tumor promotion, paralysis, and kidney damage. Increased productivity of aquatic life may also clog treatment equipment, cause an increase in organic matter, bacteria, and fungi, and die-off and decomposition of algal blooms can reduce dissolved oxygen and suffocate fish and other aquatic life in the waterbody. The monitoring requirements for Nitrogen and Phosphorus have been added to the permit to provide data to the Department regarding the health of the receiving stream's aquatic life.

**(4) Inclusion of ongoing costs of operating and maintaining the existing wastewater collection and treatment system, including payments on outstanding debts for wastewater collection and treatment systems when calculating projected rates:**

The community did not provide the Department with information, nor could it be found through readily available data.

**(5) An inclusion of ways to reduce economic impacts on distressed populations in the community, including but not limited to low and fixed income populations. This requirement includes but is not limited to:**

- (a) Allowing adequate time in implementation schedules to mitigate potential adverse impacts on distressed populations resulting from the costs of the improvements and taking into consideration local community economic considerations.
- (b) Allowing for reasonable accommodations for regulated entities when inflexible standards and fines would impose a disproportionate financial hardship in light of the environmental benefits to be gained.

**Socioeconomic Data<sup>3-6:</sup>**

Potentially Distressed Populations – City of Jackson	
Unemployment	4.6%
Adjusted Median Household Income (MHI)*	\$47,333
Percent Change in MHI (1990-2012)	+109.6%
Percent Population Growth/Decline (1990-2012)	+46.9%
Change in Median Age in Years (1990-2012)	+2.6 years
Percent of Households in Poverty	6.2%
Percent of Households Relying on Food Stamps	8.7%

\* The State's average MHI of \$47,333 is used in this analysis

**(6) An assessment of other community investments and operating costs relating to environmental improvements and public health protection;**

The community did not report any other investments relating to environmental improvements

**(7) An assessment of factors set forth in the United States Environmental Protection Agency's guidance, including but not limited to the "Combined Sewer Overflow Guidance for Financial Capability Assessment and Schedule Development" that may ease the cost burdens of implementing wet weather control plans, including but not limited to small system considerations, the attainability of water quality standards, and the development of wet weather standards;**

The new sampling requirements associated with this permit will not impose a financial burden on the community, nor will the new requirements require the City of Jackson to seek funding from an outside source.

**(8) An assessment of any other relevant local community economic condition.**

The community did not report any other relevant local economic conditions.

### **Conclusion and Finding**

As a result of new regulations, the Department is proposing modifications to the current operating permit that may require the permittee to increase sampling and to develop a SWPPP. The Department identified the actions for which cost analysis for compliance is required under Section 644.145 RSMo.

The total cost estimated for new quarterly nutrient monitoring requirements is \$800 annually. A Chronic WET Test is estimated at \$1,550. The cost to develop a SWPPP has been estimated by the Department to be \$10,000 over five years. This would be an estimated \$4,350 annually. Should these additional costs be financed through user fees, it may require user fees 0.002% of the community's MHI.

The Department considered the eight (8) criteria presented in subsection 644.145.3 when evaluating the cost associated with the relevant actions. Taking into consideration these criteria, this analysis examined whether the above referenced permit modifications affects the ability of an individual customer or household to pay a utility bill without undue hardship or unreasonable sacrifice in the essential lifestyle or spending patterns of the individual or household. As a result of reviewing the above criteria, the Department hereby finds that the action described above may result in a low burden with regard to the community's overall financial capability and a low financial impact for most individual customers/households; therefore, the new permit requirements are affordable.

### **References:**

1.  $((\text{Estimated cost for sampling annually} / \text{Total connections}) / 12 \text{ months}) = \text{Cost per household per month}$
2.  $(\text{Cost per household per month} / (\text{MHI} / 12)) * 100 = \text{Cost per household as a percent of MHI}$
3. Unemployment data was obtained from Missouri Department of Economic Development (July 2014) – <http://www.missourieconomy.org/pdfs/ure11407.pdf>
4. Median Household Income data from American Community Survey – Median income in the past 12 months – [http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?\\_afpt=table](http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?_afpt=table)
5. Population trend data was obtained from online at: 2012 Census Bureau Population Data - [http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?\\_afpt=table](http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?_afpt=table), 2000 Census Bureau Population Data - <http://www.census.gov/popest/data/cities/totals/2009/tables/SUB-EST2009-04-29.xls>, 1990 Census Bureau Population Data - <http://www.census.gov/prod/cen1990/cp1/cp-1-27.pdf>
6. Poverty data – American Community Survey- <http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/searchresults.xhtml?refresh=t>

**APPENDIX – WATER EFFECT RATIO (WER) STUDY:**

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## 1. BACKGROUND

The City of Jackson, Missouri (City) is the continuing authority of a mechanical oxidation ditch wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) having a dry weather design average flow of 2.4 million gallons per day (mgd). The Jackson WWTP has a single outfall (# 001) permitted under NPDES operating permit number MO-0022853 (permit). Treated effluent is discharged from the WWTP into Goose Creek, a Class C (i.e., intermittent) water of the state.

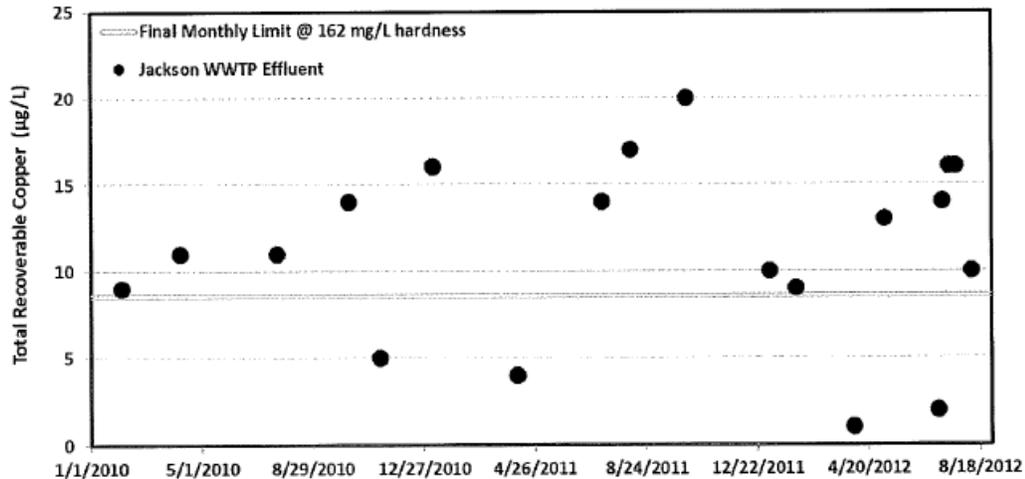
Final Effluent Limitations (FELs) for several heavy metals (**Table 1.1**) were issued by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR or Department) as part of the 2009 permit renewal. These FELs are based on revised in-stream water quality criteria adopted into rule at 10 CSR 20-7.031 in 2005. New FELs are significantly less than criteria previously applied by MDNR and were new to the Jackson permit. The Department included a 3-year compliance schedule for achieving FELs in the Jackson permit. Quarterly effluent sampling conducted by the City indicates that achieving new FELs for total recoverable copper will be challenging (**Figure 1.1**). Consequently, the City has periodically discussed with MDNR approaches to comply with existing or modified copper FELs. In April 2012, the City retained Geosyntec Consultants (Geosyntec) to review available copper management information at the WWTP and assist in determining potential compliance options.

**Table 1.1.** Final Effluent Limits for Total Recoverable Metals at the Jackson Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Effluent Parameter	Unit	Daily Maximum Limit	Monthly Average Limit
Copper	µg/L	22.9	8.5
Lead	µg/L	14.3	4.6
Nickel	µg/L	135.4	61.3
Silver	µg/L	8.7	4.3
Zinc	µg/L	183.9	76.4

Geosyntec and the City met with the Department on 06/05/2012 to discuss preliminary copper management conclusions and identify appropriate regulatory pathways. During this meeting, the following information was summarized in a Microsoft PowerPoint presentation:

- Data collected from 2009 through 2012 infers the potable water distribution system is the primary contributor of copper to the WWTP;
- Dosing of the distribution system with zinc orthophosphate at the drinking water plant appears to have reduced copper effluent concentrations;
- The City is presently cleaning and coating over 9,000 feet of tuberculated water lines at a cost of approximately \$500,000 that is expected to reduce distributed copper loading; and
- Preliminary receiving stream evaluations suggest that copper is less bioavailable and toxic than assumed by effluent limits.



**Figure 1.1.** Effluent Concentrations of Total Recoverable Copper at the Jackson Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Action items identified during this meeting included development of a revised compliance schedule (schedule). The City subsequently provided a schedule to the Department as a letter request on July 10, 2012. The revised compliance schedule specified a copper management report (report) be submitted to the Department by September 21, 2012. The purpose of this report is to fulfill the report requirement included in the schedule. This report provides additional data and documentation of informational items presented during the 06/05/2012 meeting.

## 2. COPPER SOURCE EVALUATION

The majority of copper loading to the Jackson WWTP (**Figure 2.1**) likely originates from the potable water distribution system. Identification of the distribution system as the primary source is supported by a mass-balance calculation from aggregated flow and copper concentration data (**Table 2.1**). Presently, two Significant Industrial Users (SIUs) contribute approximately 1.5 % (0.01 lbs/day) of the annual copper load to the Jackson WWTP. These SIUs include the Rubbermaid Corporation (median copper load = 0.01 lbs/day, n=33) and Farrow Fabricating (median copper load = 0.0003 lbs/day, n=11). In addition, tap water concentration data (median total copper = 42 µg/L) collected at five residential locations during July 2012 underscores the role of the drinking water distribution system in contributing to influent copper loads. Source evaluation data are listed in **Appendix A**.

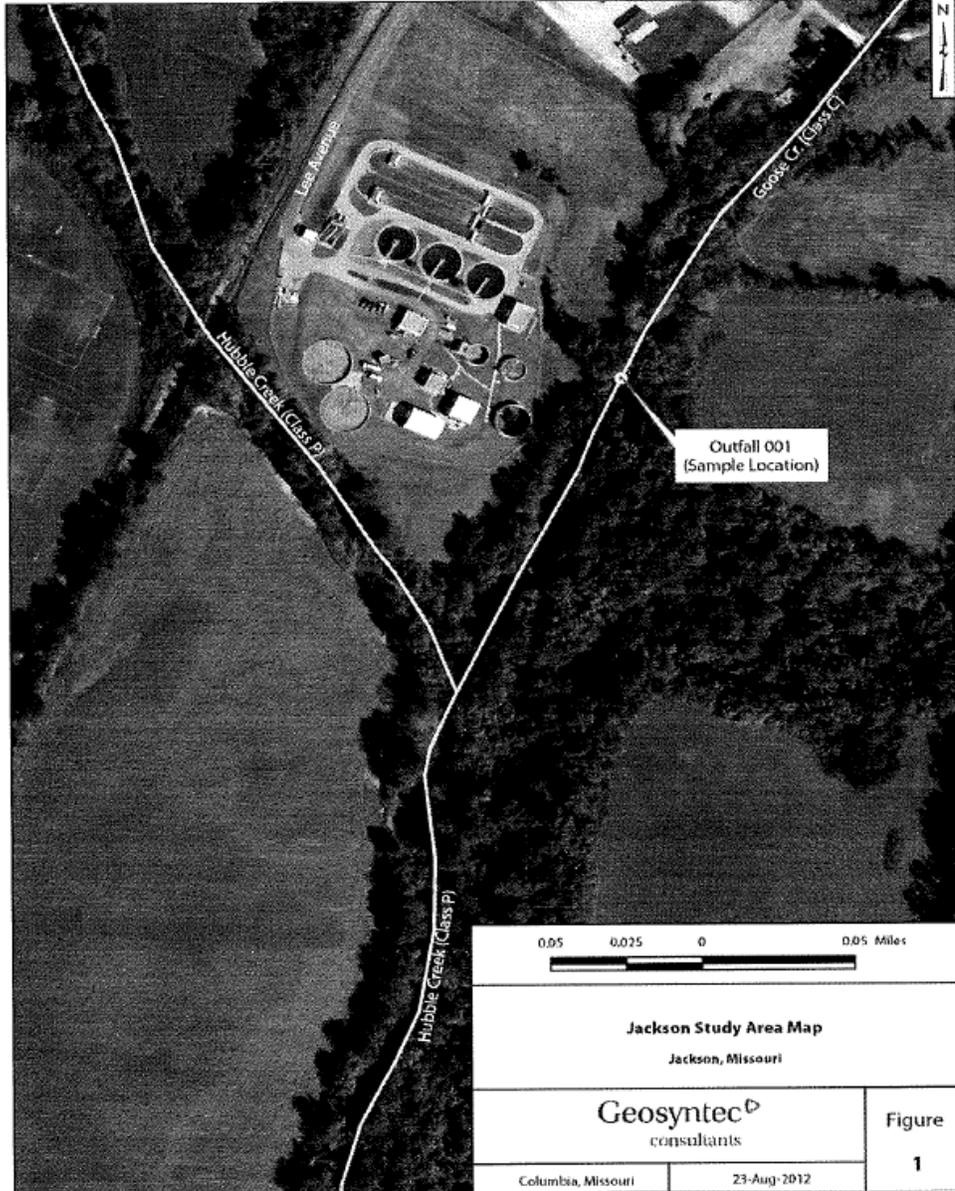


Figure 2.1. Project Study Area

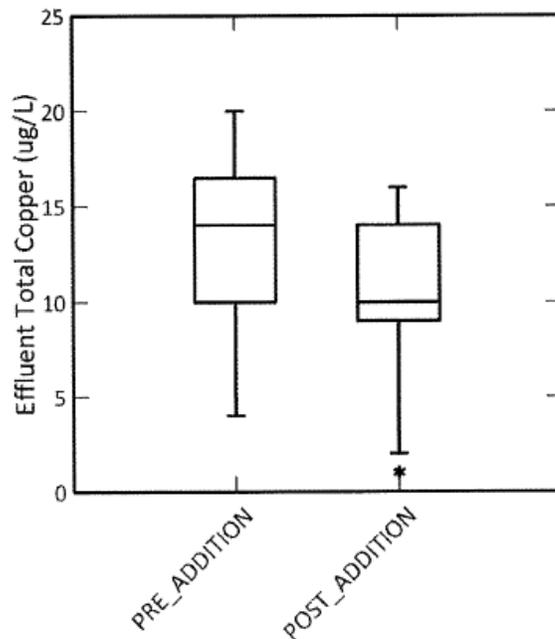
**Table 2.1.** Estimated Sources of Copper Loading to the Jackson WWTP.

Budget Component (narrative)	Symbol (ID)	Total Copper (lbs/day, median)	Percent Influent Load (%)	Comments (narrative)
Influent	'Cu <sub>in</sub> '	0.68	-----	n=8, 2012 to 2009
Rubbermaid	'Cu <sub>s1</sub> '	0.01	1.5%	n=33, 2011 to 2009
Farrow Fab	'Cu <sub>s2</sub> '	0.00	0.04%	n=11, 2011 to 2009
Wells	'Cu <sub>sw</sub> '	0.01*	1.7%	n=9, 2012, 8 of 9 are ND
Distribution System	'Cu <sub>DWS</sub> '	0.65	96.8%	Residual Calc, DWS = In-s1-s2-sw

\*assumes that non-detect values (<2 µg/L) equal 0.99 µg/L

### 3. ZINC PHOSPHATE TRIALS

Zinc orthophosphate is a common corrosion inhibitor developed for potable drinking water systems. The City has been dosing drinking water at a rate of 10 gallons per 1 million gallons produced since December 2011. Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) data collected before and after addition of corrosion inhibitors suggests a reduction (approximately 30%) in effluent copper levels (**Figure 3.1**). Consistently achieving the FEL (8.5 µg/L) appears unlikely despite noticeable improvements in copper effluent concentrations due to zinc phosphate addition. Study data used in this analysis are listed in **Appendix B**.



**Figure 3.1.** Boxplot of Effluent Copper Concentrations Before (n=11) and After (n=9) Zinc Phosphate Addition. Note differences between pre and post median concentrations are not significantly different at alpha = 0.05.

#### 4. WASTEWATER TREATMENT PERFORMANCE

Paired influent and effluent samples for the period of 2009 to 2012 indicate the Jackson WWTP is removing approximately 83% (median) of the incoming copper load (**Table 4.1.**). Removal efficiencies for metals included in table below are comparable to or better than values reported in the literature (Tchobanoglous and Burton, 1991; Isaac et al., 1997). As wastewater treatment processes are performing well, it can be concluded that operation and maintenance of the Jackson WWTP is not contributing to effluent copper concentrations above the FEL.

**Table 4.1.** Removal Efficiencies for Total Recoverable Copper at the Jackson WWTP.

Sample Dates (M/D/Y)	Reported Flow (MGD)	Influent Copper (TR, µg/L)	Effluent Copper (TR, µg/L)	Percent Removal (%)
08/06/09	1.7	56	6	89%
10/08/09	1.5	51	12	76%
12/03/09	2.3	33	17	48%
11/10/10	1.8	74	5	93%
01/06/11	1.6	67	16	76%
04/07/11	1.7	50	4	92%
7/5/2012	1.2	62	2	97%
8/9/2012	1.2	44	10	77%

Median = 83%

In addition to acceptable treatment performance, the Jackson WWTP has successfully passed acute Whole Effluent Toxicity (WET) tests (2009 to 2011, n=3). It can therefore be assumed that effluent copper concentrations are not causing acute toxicity to sensitive aquatic biota.

#### 5. RECEIVING WATER ANALYSES

Three receiving water studies were conducted to evaluate the relative bioavailability or toxicity of copper within treated effluent at the Jackson WWTP: (1) characterization of hardness concentrations, (2) Streamlined Water Effect Ratio (WER) for copper, and (3) preliminary dissolved to total recoverable translator. Each of these studies are described and summarized in this section. Studies for other permitted metals including total recoverable zinc may be pursued in the future following coordination with the Department and as part of the drinking water planning process.

##### 5.1 Adjusting for Critical Flows

The sampling location for receiving water studies is the point where treated wastewater effluent enters Goose Creek (see **Figure 2.1**). This location was selected as it best coincided with the intent of WER guidance (US EPA, 2001) and Missouri's mixing zone allowances (i.e., no mixing allowed for streams with 7Q10 < 0.0 cfs). The location of sampling points is further discussed as follows.

Missouri Water Quality Standards (WQS) stipulate that wasteload allocations (WLA) and permit limits be based on critical low-flow conditions (e.g., 7Q10). However, water quality studies used to support permit limits are rarely conducted during statistical low-flow conditions. Rather, WLA and modeling studies are typically conducted at steady baseflow conditions. Differences in flow conditions (i.e., actual vs. critical) must therefore be accounted for. For example, WLA data to support calibration of a DO model is typically collected during warm-weather baseflow conditions. However, for the purpose of developing a WLA, the calibrated DO model is re-run at critical low-flow conditions. Because the WER, translator, and hardness regime are data driven and do not include transport processes, differences in flow (i.e., observed vs. critical) are accounted for during the sampling event. Guidance developed by the US Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA, 2001) recommends mixing effluent and upstream water at the design low-flow dilution to create a simulated downstream sample (page 1, first paragraph under Synopsis of the Streamlined Water Effect Ratio Procedure, US EPA 2001). In the case of the Jackson WWTP, the receiving stream (Goose Creek) has a 7Q10 critical low-flow value of 0 cubic feet per second (cfs). Therefore, study samples were collected near the Jackson WWTP outfall and consisted of 100% effluent. Such an approach is also consistent with MDNR's WET test guidance, which calls for a 100% effluent sample where the 7Q10 is zero.

## 5.2 Hardness Regime

Greater concentrations of polyvalent cations, specifically  $Mg^{2+}$  and  $Ca^{2+}$ , reduce the absorption of heavy metals by aquatic organisms. Consequently, Missouri's copper criteria are hardness-dependent. According to the City's operating permit fact sheet, the Department assumed a default hardness concentration of 162 mg/L. The most recent 20 hardness samples (minimum regulatory sample size) from the Jackson WWTP (see **Figure 2.1** for sampling location) are equal to or greater than the default value of 162 mg/L. Per 10 CSR 20-7.031(1)(Y), the 25<sup>th</sup> percentile of measured hardness values may be used to recalculate metals criteria. As provided in **Appendix B**, the 25<sup>th</sup> percentile of hardness data is 232 mg/L. Alternative permit limits are provided in Section 6 that incorporates site-specific hardness data.

## 5.3 Streamlined Water Effect Ratio

The toxicity of copper to aquatic organisms can be influenced by several environmental factors including the concentrations of hardness, organic carbon, pH, and suspended solids. Many of these factors exhibit a reduced influence in the laboratory setting (e.g., clean water) used to derive national default water quality criteria. A procedure developed by US EPA to account for differences in toxicity due to these factors is termed a Water Effect Ratio.

The Streamlined Water Effect Ratio (US EPA, 2001) requires two sampling events to be conducted one month apart at design flow dilution and under representative conditions using a single test organism. To comply with these requirements, Geosyntec conducted two WER sampling events on 05/08/2012 and 07/16/2012 using the test organism *Ceriodaphnia dubia*. Sampling events were performed during normal plant operating conditions during dry weather conditions. Grab samples were collected from near the Jackson WWTP outfall, placed on ice and hand-carried to the WET testing laboratory performing the analyses.

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At the laboratory, Geosyntec personnel adjusted laboratory reconstituted water to similar hardness, alkalinity, and pH of the site water and prepared the appropriate test dilutions by spiking with copper nitrate [Cu(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> \* 2.5 H<sub>2</sub>O] to establish a range of concentrations bracketing the expected EC<sub>50</sub> for both the site water and reconstituted tests. Tests were conducted under representative conditions such that total suspended solids were less than 4 mg/L during each event and calculated BOD<sub>5</sub> less than 10 mg/L. Results from WER tests are depicted in **Table 5.1**. Additional WER study details are included in **Appendix C**. Alternative permit limits are provided in Section 6 that incorporates a Final Total Recoverable WER of 2.8. Additional copper WER studies that may be pursued by the City in the future could modify this proposed final WER.

**Table 5.1.** Streamlined Water Effect Ratio Results for the Jackson WWTP

Test Date	Water Source	Parameter	Unit	Value	Comments
5/8/2012	Site Water	Native EC <sub>50</sub>	µg/L	125.0	US EPA Toxcalc Software
5/8/2012	Site Water	Hardness Normalized EC <sub>50</sub>	µg/L	106.4	EPA Procedure, Page 13. Normalized to 232 mg/L
5/8/2012	Site Water	SMAV at Site Hardness	µg/L	53.0	EPA Procedure, Page 17. Normalized to 232 mg/L
5/8/2012	Laboratory Water	Native EC <sub>50</sub>	µg/L	< 33	Enhanced sensitivity in laboratory water
5/8/2012	Laboratory Water	Hardness Normalized EC <sub>50</sub>	µg/L	12.5	Calculation Assumed 0.5* Response Threshold
5/8/2012	-----	Sample WER Criterion 1	-----	6.4	Site EC <sub>50</sub> /Lab EC <sub>50</sub> at Normalized Hardness
5/8/2012	-----	Sample WER Criterion 2	-----	2.0	Site EC <sub>50</sub> /SMAV at Normalized Hardness
5/8/2012	-----	Sample WER for Test #1	-----	2.0	Lesser of Criteria 1 and 2
7/16/2012	Site Water	Native EC <sub>50</sub>	µg/L	241.6	US EPA Toxcalc Software
7/16/2012	Site Water	Hardness Normalized EC <sub>50</sub>	µg/L	205.6	EPA Procedure, Page 13. Normalized to 232 mg/L
7/16/2012	Site Water	SMAV at Site Hardness	µg/L	53.0	EPA Procedure, Page 17. Normalized to 232 mg/L
7/16/2012	Laboratory Water	Native EC <sub>50</sub>	µg/L	53.0	Enhanced sensitivity in lab water
7/16/2012	Laboratory Water	Hardness Normalized EC <sub>50</sub>	µg/L	12.5	EPA Procedure, Page 13
7/16/2012	-----	Sample WER Criterion 1	-----	16.4	Site EC <sub>50</sub> /Lab EC <sub>50</sub> at Normalized Hardness
7/16/2012	-----	Sample WER Criterion 2	-----	3.9	Site EC <sub>50</sub> /SMAV at Normalized Hardness
7/16/2012	-----	Sample WER for Test #2	-----	3.9	Lesser of Criteria 1 and 2
<i>Final WER for Study</i>				<b>2.8</b>	Geometric Mean of Sample WERs , Page 14

Notable WER results include the following observations:

- Sample WERs differed by a factor of approximately 2. Such a difference is explained by the greater Dissolved Organic Carbon (DOC) concentration in the second test (DOC=5.0 mg/L) as compared to the first test (DOC=2.6 mg/L). In addition, the relatively high default Standard Deviation (SD) of WERs (SD=0.5 log units, or 3.2 native WER units) listed in Table C-1 of US EPA (2001) suggests that differences between tests may not be significantly different or anomalous. That is, differences between sample WERs were less than one 'default' standard deviation.
- Test organisms in the reconstituted (recon) water used by the EAS laboratory appear to have been more sensitive as the EC<sub>50</sub> in the reconstituted water (<33 µg/L) was substantively less than the expected Species Mean Acute Value (SMAV) of approximately 69.7 µg/L (normalized to recon hardness of 310 mg/L). In comparison, the recon water EC<sub>50</sub> from Pace Analytical (53 µg/L) was much closer to the expected SMAV of 59 µg/L (normalized to recon hardness of 260 mg/L). Ultimately, the potential sensitivity of EAS test organisms did not inflate the sample WER value as Calculation Criterion 2 (see **Table 5.1**) minimized the WER from the first test (WER=2.0).

#### 5.4 Total to Dissolved Metals Translator

A preliminary translator value of  $f_D = 0.75$  was determined from two sampling events (geometric mean) and is approximately 22% lower than the default value of  $f_D = 0.96$  in Missouri's Water Quality Standards. According to US EPA guidance (US EPA 1996), at least ten sampling events are needed to develop an alternative translator value. While additional sampling is needed to develop a final translator, it should be noted that a 22% reduction in the default translator represents a margin of safety with respect to implementing other site-specific modifications such as hardness and WER. Preliminary translator data are listed in **Appendix D**.

### 6. PROPOSED EFFLUENT LIMIT MODIFICATIONS

Use of site-specific hardness and WER data increase applicable copper criteria and therefore copper water quality-based limits. Alternative permit limits proposed for the Jackson WWTP (**Table 6.1.**) are derived according to US EPA guidance (1991) and utilize the 25<sup>th</sup> percentile hardness value (**Appendix B**) and Final WER (=2.8, see Section 5.3). As presented in the table below, we note the Jackson WWTP may not have 'reasonable potential' (see US EPA 1991) to exceed the adjusted copper criteria. Therefore, the Department should consider replacing numeric copper effluent limits with 'monitoring only' requirements.

**Table 6.1.** Adjusted Copper Effluent Limits for the Jackson WWTP

Receiving Stream: Goose Creek, Class C, 7Q10=0.0 cfs			
Parameter	Unit	Value	Comments
Hardness	mg/L	232	25 <sup>th</sup> Percentile of n=20 DMR records
Coefficient of Variation	-----	0.46	See Appendix B
Existing Acute Copper Criterion	µg/L as Total Recoverable	30.9	at 232 mg/L hardness and no conversion factor
Existing Chronic Copper Criterion	µg/L as Total Recoverable	19.1	at 232 mg/L hardness and no conversion factor
Final Water Effect Ratio	-----	2.8	See Section 5.3
<b>Adjusted Acute Copper Criteria</b>	µg/L as Total Recoverable	<b>87</b>	=existing total recoverable criterion* total recoverable WER
<b>Adjusted Chronic Copper Criteria</b>	µg/L as Total Recoverable	<b>54</b>	=existing total recoverable criterion* total recoverable WER
Acute Wasteload Allocation	µg/L as Total Recoverable	87	=adjusted acute criterion, 7Q10=0.0 cfs
Chronic Wasteload Allocation	µg/L as Total Recoverable	54	=adjusted chronic criterion, 7Q10=0.0 cfs
Acute Long-Term Average	µg/L as Total Recoverable	34.2	see EPA (1991). Note chronic LTA is limiting
Chronic Long-Term Average	µg/L as Total Recoverable	32.3	see EPA (1991). Note chronic LTA is limiting
<b>Adjusted Maximum Daily Limit</b>	µg/L as Total Recoverable	<b>81.4</b>	see EPA (1991).
<b>Adjusted Monthly Average Limit</b>	µg/L as Total Recoverable	<b>45.7</b>	see EPA (1991). Note n=4 per permit Fact Sheet
Maximum Effluent Concentration	µg/L as Total Recoverable	20	Measured on 10/6/2011
Reasonable Potential Multiplier	-----	2.0	RPM, see page 54 of EPA (1991). N=20, CV=0.46
Expected Maximum Receiving Water Concentration	MRWC, µg/L as Total Recoverable	40	=Maximum Effluent Concentration*RPM. Per MDNR method of using 99% Probability RPM
<b>Reasonable Potential to Exceed</b>	----	<b>No</b>	MRWC<Adjusted Acute or Chronic Criteria

## 7. SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION

The City is the continuing authority of a mechanical oxidation ditch WWTP having a dry weather design average flow of 2.4 mgd. Final effluent limits for copper issued by the Department as part of the 2009 permit renewal (effective as of July 2012) are likely to be exceeded based on monitoring data collected since 2009. Despite ongoing treatment measures to the water distribution system (i.e., zinc orthophosphate addition, cleaning and coating) and above average process performance (i.e., percent removal approximately 80-85%), influent copper loads are likely to result in periodic excursions of the existing average monthly copper limit of 8.5 µg/L prescribed by the Department.

As the existing copper FELs were developed according to default and potentially conservative assumptions (i.e., hardness concentrations, default bioavailability), the City requested Geosyntec investigate the relative toxicity of copper for the Jackson WWTP discharge scenario. Incorporation of site-specific hardness and WER data from receiving water investigations into the permit limit derivation process support an upward adjustment of copper effluent limits. In addition, issuance of 'monitoring only' requirements for copper may be justified based on a 'reasonable potential analysis' using US EPA (1991) procedures. Therefore, the City should request the Department reconsider the FELs, and compliance schedule, in the existing operating permit to account for site-specific toxicity data and the distributed nature of the primary copper source (i.e., drinking water distribution system).

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These Standard Conditions incorporate permit conditions as required by 40 CFR 122.41 or other applicable state statutes or regulations. These minimum conditions apply unless superseded by requirements specified in the permit.

## Part I – General Conditions

### Section A – Sampling, Monitoring, and Recording

1. **Sampling Requirements.**
  - a. Samples and measurements taken for the purpose of monitoring shall be representative of the monitored activity.
  - b. All samples shall be taken at the outfall(s) or Missouri Department of Natural Resources (Department) approved sampling location(s), and unless specified, before the effluent joins or is diluted by any other body of water or substance.
2. **Monitoring Requirements.**
  - a. Records of monitoring information shall include:
    - i. The date, exact place, and time of sampling or measurements;
    - ii. The individual(s) who performed the sampling or measurements;
    - iii. The date(s) analyses were performed;
    - iv. The individual(s) who performed the analyses;
    - v. The analytical techniques or methods used; and
    - vi. The results of such analyses.
  - b. If the permittee monitors any pollutant more frequently than required by the permit at the location specified in the permit using test procedures approved under 40 CFR Part 136, or another method required for an industry-specific waste stream under 40 CFR subchapters N or O, the results of such monitoring shall be included in the calculation and reported to the Department with the discharge monitoring report data (DMR) submitted to the Department pursuant to Section B, paragraph 7.
3. **Sample and Monitoring Calculations.** Calculations for all sample and monitoring results which require averaging of measurements shall utilize an arithmetic mean unless otherwise specified in the permit.
4. **Test Procedures.** The analytical and sampling methods used shall conform to the reference methods listed in 10 CSR 20-7.015 unless alternates are approved by the Department. The facility shall use sufficiently sensitive analytical methods for detecting, identifying, and measuring the concentrations of pollutants. The facility shall ensure that the selected methods are able to quantify the presence of pollutants in a given discharge at concentrations that are low enough to determine compliance with Water Quality Standards in 10 CSR 20-7.031 or effluent limitations unless provisions in the permit allow for other alternatives. A method is “sufficiently sensitive” when; 1) the method minimum level is at or below the level of the applicable water quality criterion for the pollutant or, 2) the method minimum level is above the applicable water quality criterion, but the amount of pollutant in a facility’s discharge is high enough that the method detects and quantifies the level of pollutant in the discharge, or 3) the method has the lowest minimum level of the analytical methods approved under 10 CSR 20-7.015. These methods are also required for parameters that are listed as monitoring only, as the data collected may be used to determine if limitations need to be established. A permittee is responsible for working with their contractors to ensure that the analysis performed is sufficiently sensitive.
5. **Record Retention.** Except for records of monitoring information required by the permit related to the permittee’s sewage sludge use and disposal activities, which shall be retained for a period of at least five (5) years (or longer as required by 40 CFR part 503), the permittee shall retain records of all monitoring information, including all calibration and maintenance records and all original strip chart recordings for continuous monitoring instrumentation, copies of all reports required by the permit, and records of all data used to complete the application for the permit, for a period of at least three (3) years from the date of the sample, measurement, report or application. This period may be extended by request of the Department at any time.

6. **Illegal Activities.**
  - a. The Federal Clean Water Act provides that any person who falsifies, tampers with, or knowingly renders inaccurate any monitoring device or method required to be maintained under the permit shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than \$10,000, or by imprisonment for not more than two (2) years, or both. If a conviction of a person is for a violation committed after a first conviction of such person under this paragraph, punishment is a fine of not more than \$20,000 per day of violation, or by imprisonment of not more than four (4) years, or both.
  - b. The Missouri Clean Water Law provides that any person or who falsifies, tampers with, or knowingly renders inaccurate any monitoring device or method required to be maintained pursuant to sections 644.006 to 644.141 shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than \$10,000, or by imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or by both. Second and successive convictions for violation under this paragraph by any person shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50,000 per day of violation, or by imprisonment for not more than two (2) years, or both.

### Section B – Reporting Requirements

1. **Planned Changes.**
  - a. The permittee shall give notice to the Department as soon as possible of any planned physical alterations or additions to the permitted facility when:
    - i. The alteration or addition to a permitted facility may meet one of the criteria for determining whether a facility is a new source in 40 CFR 122.29(b); or
    - ii. The alteration or addition could significantly change the nature or increase the quantity of pollutants discharged. This notification applies to pollutants which are subject neither to effluent limitations in the permit, nor to notification requirements under 40 CFR 122.42;
    - iii. The alteration or addition results in a significant change in the permittee’s sludge use or disposal practices, and such alteration, addition, or change may justify the application of permit conditions that are different from or absent in the existing permit, including notification of additional use or disposal sites not reported during the permit application process or not reported pursuant to an approved land application plan;
  - iv. Any facility expansions, production increases, or process modifications which will result in a new or substantially different discharge or sludge characteristics must be reported to the Department 60 days before the facility or process modification begins. Notification may be accomplished by application for a new permit. If the discharge does not violate effluent limitations specified in the permit, the facility is to submit a notice to the Department of the changed discharge at least 30 days before such changes. The Department may require a construction permit and/or permit modification as a result of the proposed changes at the facility.
2. **Non-compliance Reporting.**
  - a. The permittee shall report any noncompliance which may endanger health or the environment. Relevant information shall be provided orally or via the current electronic method approved by the Department, within 24 hours from the time the permittee becomes aware of the circumstances, and shall be reported to the appropriate Regional Office during normal business hours or the Environmental Emergency Response hotline at 573-634-2436 outside of normal business hours. A written submission shall also be provided within five (5) business days of the time the permittee becomes aware of the circumstances. The written submission shall contain a description of the noncompliance and its cause; the period of noncompliance, including exact dates and times, and if the noncompliance has not been corrected, the anticipated time it is expected to continue; and steps taken or planned to reduce, eliminate, and prevent reoccurrence of the noncompliance.



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- b. The following shall be included as information which must be reported within 24 hours under this paragraph.
    - i. Any unanticipated bypass which exceeds any effluent limitation in the permit.
    - ii. Any upset which exceeds any effluent limitation in the permit.
    - iii. Violation of a maximum daily discharge limitation for any of the pollutants listed by the Department in the permit required to be reported within 24 hours.
  - c. The Department may waive the written report on a case-by-case basis for reports under paragraph 2. b. of this section if the oral report has been received within 24 hours.
3. **Anticipated Noncompliance.** The permittee shall give advance notice to the Department of any planned changes in the permitted facility or activity which may result in noncompliance with permit requirements. The notice shall be submitted to the Department 60 days prior to such changes or activity.
  4. **Compliance Schedules.** Reports of compliance or noncompliance with, or any progress reports on, interim and final requirements contained in any compliance schedule of the permit shall be submitted no later than 14 days following each schedule date. The report shall provide an explanation for the instance of noncompliance and a proposed schedule or anticipated date, for achieving compliance with the compliance schedule requirement.
  5. **Other Noncompliance.** The permittee shall report all instances of noncompliance not reported under paragraphs 2, 3, and 6 of this section, at the time monitoring reports are submitted. The reports shall contain the information listed in paragraph 2. a. of this section.
  6. **Other Information.** Where the permittee becomes aware that it failed to submit any relevant facts in a permit application, or submitted incorrect information in a permit application or in any report to the Department, it shall promptly submit such facts or information.
  7. **Discharge Monitoring Reports.**
    - a. Monitoring results shall be reported at the intervals specified in the permit.
    - b. Monitoring results must be reported to the Department via the current method approved by the Department, unless the permittee has been granted a waiver from using the method. If the permittee has been granted a waiver, the permittee must use forms provided by the Department.
    - c. Monitoring results shall be reported to the Department no later than the 28<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the end of the reporting period.
- b. Notice.
    - i. Anticipated bypass. If the permittee knows in advance of the need for a bypass, it shall submit prior notice, if possible at least 10 days before the date of the bypass.
    - ii. Unanticipated bypass. The permittee shall submit notice of an unanticipated bypass as required in Section B – Reporting Requirements, paragraph 5 (24-hour notice).
  - c. Prohibition of bypass.
    - i. Bypass is prohibited, and the Department may take enforcement action against a permittee for bypass, unless:
      1. Bypass was unavoidable to prevent loss of life, personal injury, or severe property damage;
      2. There were no feasible alternatives to the bypass, such as the use of auxiliary treatment facilities, retention of untreated wastes, or maintenance during normal periods of equipment downtime. This condition is not satisfied if adequate back-up equipment should have been installed in the exercise of reasonable engineering judgment to prevent a bypass which occurred during normal periods of equipment downtime or preventive maintenance; and
      3. The permittee submitted notices as required under paragraph 2. b. of this section.
    - ii. The Department may approve an anticipated bypass, after considering its adverse effects, if the Department determines that it will meet the three (3) conditions listed above in paragraph 2. c. i. of this section.
3. **Upset Requirements.**
    - a. Effect of an upset. An upset constitutes an affirmative defense to an action brought for noncompliance with such technology based permit effluent limitations if the requirements of paragraph 3. b. of this section are met. No determination made during administrative review of claims that noncompliance was caused by upset, and before an action for noncompliance, is final administrative action subject to judicial review.
    - b. Conditions necessary for a demonstration of upset. A permittee who wishes to establish the affirmative defense of upset shall demonstrate, through properly signed, contemporaneous operating logs, or other relevant evidence that:
      - i. An upset occurred and that the permittee can identify the cause(s) of the upset;
      - ii. The permitted facility was at the time being properly operated; and
      - iii. The permittee submitted notice of the upset as required in Section B – Reporting Requirements, paragraph 2. b. ii. (24-hour notice).
      - iv. The permittee complied with any remedial measures required under Section D – Administrative Requirements, paragraph 4.
    - c. Burden of proof. In any enforcement proceeding, the permittee seeking to establish the occurrence of an upset has the burden of proof.

## Section C – Bypass/Upset Requirements

1. **Definitions.**
  - a. *Bypass*: the intentional diversion of waste streams from any portion of a treatment facility, except in the case of blending.
  - b. *Severe Property Damage*: substantial physical damage to property, damage to the treatment facilities which causes them to become inoperable, or substantial and permanent loss of natural resources which can reasonably be expected to occur in the absence of a bypass. Severe property damage does not mean economic loss caused by delays in production.
  - c. *Upset*: an exceptional incident in which there is unintentional and temporary noncompliance with technology based permit effluent limitations because of factors beyond the reasonable control of the permittee. An upset does not include noncompliance to the extent caused by operational error, improperly designed treatment facilities, inadequate treatment facilities, lack of preventive maintenance, or careless or improper operation.
2. **Bypass Requirements.**
  - a. Bypass not exceeding limitations. The permittee may allow any bypass to occur which does not cause effluent limitations to be exceeded, but only if it also is for essential maintenance to assure efficient operation. These bypasses are not subject to the provisions of paragraphs 2. b. and 2. c. of this section.

## Section D – Administrative Requirements

1. **Duty to Comply.** The permittee must comply with all conditions of this permit. Any permit noncompliance constitutes a violation of the Missouri Clean Water Law and Federal Clean Water Act and is grounds for enforcement action; for permit termination, revocation and reissuance, or modification; or denial of a permit renewal application.
  - a. The permittee shall comply with effluent standards or prohibitions established under section 307(a) of the Federal Clean Water Act for toxic pollutants and with standards for sewage sludge use or disposal established under section 405(d) of the CWA within the time provided in the regulations that establish these standards or prohibitions or standards for sewage sludge use or disposal, even if the permit has not yet been modified to incorporate the requirement.
  - b. The Federal Clean Water Act provides that any person who violates section 301, 302, 306, 307, 308, 318 or 405 of the Act, or any permit condition or limitation implementing any such sections in a permit issued under section 402, or any requirement imposed in a pretreatment program approved under sections 402(a)(3) or 402(b)(8) of the Act, is subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$25,000 per day for each violation. The Federal Clean Water Act provides that any person who negligently violates sections 301, 302, 306, 307, 308, 318, or 405 of the Act, or any condition or limitation implementing any of such sections in a permit issued under section 402 of the Act, or any requirement



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- imposed in a pretreatment program approved under section 402(a)(3) or 402(b)(8) of the Act, is subject to criminal penalties of \$2,500 to \$25,000 per day of violation, or imprisonment of not more than one (1) year, or both. In the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a negligent violation, a person shall be subject to criminal penalties of not more than \$50,000 per day of violation, or by imprisonment of not more than two (2) years, or both. Any person who knowingly violates such sections, or such conditions or limitations is subject to criminal penalties of \$5,000 to \$50,000 per day of violation, or imprisonment for not more than three (3) years, or both. In the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a knowing violation, a person shall be subject to criminal penalties of not more than \$100,000 per day of violation, or imprisonment of not more than six (6) years, or both. Any person who knowingly violates section 301, 302, 303, 306, 307, 308, 318 or 405 of the Act, or any permit condition or limitation implementing any of such sections in a permit issued under section 402 of the Act, and who knows at that time that he thereby places another person in imminent danger of death or serious bodily injury, shall, upon conviction, be subject to a fine of not more than \$250,000 or imprisonment of not more than 15 years, or both. In the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a knowing endangerment violation, a person shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$500,000 or by imprisonment of not more than 30 years, or both. An organization, as defined in section 309(c)(3)(B)(iii) of the CWA, shall, upon conviction of violating the imminent danger provision, be subject to a fine of not more than \$1,000,000 and can be fined up to \$2,000,000 for second or subsequent convictions.
- c. Any person may be assessed an administrative penalty by the EPA Director for violating section 301, 302, 306, 307, 308, 318 or 405 of this Act, or any permit condition or limitation implementing any of such sections in a permit issued under section 402 of this Act. Administrative penalties for Class I violations are not to exceed \$10,000 per violation, with the maximum amount of any Class I penalty assessed not to exceed \$25,000. Penalties for Class II violations are not to exceed \$10,000 per day for each day during which the violation continues, with the maximum amount of any Class II penalty not to exceed \$125,000.
- d. It is unlawful for any person to cause or permit any discharge of water contaminants from any water contaminant or point source located in Missouri in violation of sections 644.006 to 644.141 of the Missouri Clean Water Law, or any standard, rule or regulation promulgated by the commission. In the event the commission or the director determines that any provision of sections 644.006 to 644.141 of the Missouri Clean Water Law or standard, rules, limitations or regulations promulgated pursuant thereto, or permits issued by, or any final abatement order, other order, or determination made by the commission or the director, or any filing requirement pursuant to sections 644.006 to 644.141 of the Missouri Clean Water Law or any other provision which this state is required to enforce pursuant to any federal water pollution control act, is being, was, or is in imminent danger of being violated, the commission or director may cause to have instituted a civil action in any court of competent jurisdiction for the injunctive relief to prevent any such violation or further violation or for the assessment of a penalty not to exceed \$10,000 per day for each day, or part thereof, the violation occurred and continues to occur, or both, as the court deems proper. Any person who willfully or negligently commits any violation in this paragraph shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than \$2,500 nor more than \$25,000 per day of violation, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or both. Second and successive convictions for violation of the same provision of this paragraph by any person shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50,000 per day of violation, or by imprisonment for not more than two (2) years, or both.
2. **Duty to Reapply.**
- a. If the permittee wishes to continue an activity regulated by this permit after the expiration date of this permit, the permittee must apply for and obtain a new permit.
- b. A permittee with a currently effective site-specific permit shall submit an application for renewal at least 180 days before the expiration date of the existing permit, unless permission for a later date has been granted by the Department. (The Department shall not grant permission for applications to be submitted later than the expiration date of the existing permit.)
- c. A permittee with currently effective general permit shall submit an application for renewal at least 30 days before the existing permit expires, unless the permittee has been notified by the Department that an earlier application must be made. The Department may grant permission for a later submission date. (The Department shall not grant permission for applications to be submitted later than the expiration date of the existing permit.)
3. **Need to Halt or Reduce Activity Not a Defense.** It shall not be a defense for a permittee in an enforcement action that it would have been necessary to halt or reduce the permitted activity in order to maintain compliance with the conditions of this permit.
4. **Duty to Mitigate.** The permittee shall take all reasonable steps to minimize or prevent any discharge or sludge use or disposal in violation of this permit which has a reasonable likelihood of adversely affecting human health or the environment.
5. **Proper Operation and Maintenance.** The permittee shall at all times properly operate and maintain all facilities and systems of treatment and control (and related appurtenances) which are installed or used by the permittee to achieve compliance with the conditions of this permit. Proper operation and maintenance also includes adequate laboratory controls and appropriate quality assurance procedures. This provision requires the operation of back-up or auxiliary facilities or similar systems which are installed by a permittee only when the operation is necessary to achieve compliance with the conditions of the permit.
6. **Permit Actions.**
- a. Subject to compliance with statutory requirements of the Law and Regulations and applicable Court Order, this permit may be modified, suspended, or revoked in whole or in part during its term for cause including, but not limited to, the following:
- i. Violations of any terms or conditions of this permit or the law;
- ii. Having obtained this permit by misrepresentation or failure to disclose fully any relevant facts;
- iii. A change in any circumstances or conditions that requires either a temporary or permanent reduction or elimination of the authorized discharge; or
- iv. Any reason set forth in the Law or Regulations.
- b. The filing of a request by the permittee for a permit modification, revocation and reissuance, or termination, or a notification of planned changes or anticipated noncompliance does not stay any permit condition.
7. **Permit Transfer.**
- a. Subject to 10 CSR 20-6.010, an operating permit may be transferred upon submission to the Department of an application to transfer signed by the existing owner and the new owner, unless prohibited by the terms of the permit. Until such time the permit is officially transferred, the original permittee remains responsible for complying with the terms and conditions of the existing permit.
- b. The Department may require modification or revocation and reissuance of the permit to change the name of the permittee and incorporate such other requirements as may be necessary under the Missouri Clean Water Law or the Federal Clean Water Act.
- c. The Department, within 30 days of receipt of the application, shall notify the new permittee of its intent to revoke or reissue or transfer the permit.
8. **Toxic Pollutants.** The permittee shall comply with effluent standards or prohibitions established under section 307(a) of the Federal Clean Water Act for toxic pollutants and with standards for sewage sludge use or disposal established under section 405(d) of the Federal Clean Water Act within the time provided in the regulations that establish these standards or prohibitions or standards for sewage sludge use or disposal, even if the permit has not yet been modified to incorporate the requirement.
9. **Property Rights.** This permit does not convey any property rights of any sort, or any exclusive privilege.



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10. **Duty to Provide Information.** The permittee shall furnish to the Department, within a reasonable time, any information which the Department may request to determine whether cause exists for modifying, revoking and reissuing, or terminating this permit or to determine compliance with this permit. The permittee shall also furnish to the Department upon request, copies of records required to be kept by this permit.
11. **Inspection and Entry.** The permittee shall allow the Department, or an authorized representative (including an authorized contractor acting as a representative of the Department), upon presentation of credentials and other documents as may be required by law, to:
  - a. Enter upon the permittee's premises where a regulated facility or activity is located or conducted, or where records must be kept under the conditions of the permit;
  - b. Have access to and copy, at reasonable times, any records that must be kept under the conditions of this permit;
  - c. Inspect at reasonable times any facilities, equipment (including monitoring and control equipment), practices, or operations regulated or required under this permit; and
  - d. Sample or monitor at reasonable times, for the purposes of assuring permit compliance or as otherwise authorized by the Federal Clean Water Act or Missouri Clean Water Law, any substances or parameters at any location.
12. **Closure of Treatment Facilities.**
  - a. Persons who cease operation or plan to cease operation of waste, wastewater, and sludge handling and treatment facilities shall close the facilities in accordance with a closure plan approved by the Department.
  - b. Operating Permits under 10 CSR 20-6.010 or under 10 CSR 20-6.015 are required until all waste, wastewater, and sludges have been disposed of in accordance with the closure plan approved by the Department and any disturbed areas have been properly stabilized. Disturbed areas will be considered stabilized when perennial vegetation, pavement, or structures using permanent materials cover all areas that have been disturbed. Vegetative cover, if used, shall be at least 70% plant density over 100% of the disturbed area.
13. **Signatory Requirement.**
  - a. All permit applications, reports required by the permit, or information requested by the Department shall be signed and certified. (See 40 CFR 122.22 and 10 CSR 20-6.010)
  - b. The Federal Clean Water Act provides that any person who knowingly makes any false statement, representation, or certification in any record or other document submitted or required to be maintained under this permit, including monitoring reports or reports of compliance or non-compliance shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than \$10,000 per violation, or by imprisonment for not more than six (6) months per violation, or by both.
  - c. The Missouri Clean Water Law provides that any person who knowingly makes any false statement, representation or certification in any application, record, report, plan, or other document filed or required to be maintained pursuant to sections 644.006 to 644.141 shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or by both.
14. **Severability.** The provisions of the permit are severable, and if any provision of the permit, or the application of any provision of the permit to any circumstance, is held invalid, the application of such provision to other circumstances, and the remainder of the permit, shall not be affected thereby.



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PART II - SPECIAL CONDITIONS – PUBLICLY OWNED  
TREATMENT WORKS  
SECTION A – INDUSTRIAL USERS

**1. Definitions**

Definitions as set forth in the Missouri Clean Water Laws and approved by the Missouri Clean Water Commission shall apply to terms used herein.

Significant Industrial User (SIU). Except as provided in the *General Pretreatment Regulation* 10 CSR 20-6.100, the term Significant Industrial User means:

1. All Industrial Users subject to Categorical Pretreatment Standards; and
2. Any other Industrial User that: discharges an average of 25,000 gallons per day or more of process wastewater to the Publicly-Owned Treatment Works (POTW) (excluding sanitary, noncontact cooling and boiler blowdown wastewater); contributes a process wastestream which makes up 5 percent or more of the average dry weather hydraulic or organic capacity of the POTW treatment plant; or is designated as such by the Control Authority on the basis that the Industrial User has a reasonable potential for adversely affecting the POTW's or for violating any Pretreatment Standard or requirement.

Clean Water Act (CWA) is the the federal Clean Water Act of 1972, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 et seq. (2002).

**2. Identification of Industrial Discharges**

Pursuant to 40 CFR 122.44(j)(1), all POTWs shall identify, in terms of character and volume of pollutants, any Significant Industrial Users discharging to the POTW subject to Pretreatment Standards under section 307(b) of the CWA and 40 CFR 403.

**3. Application Information**

Applications for renewal or modification of this permit must contain the information about industrial discharges to the POTW pursuant to 40 CFR 122.21(j)(6)

**4. Notice to the Department**

Pursuant to 40 CFR 122.42(b), all POTWs must provide adequate notice of the following:

1. Any new introduction of pollutants into the POTW from an indirect discharger which would be subject to section 301 or 306 of CWA if it were directly discharging these pollutants; and
2. Any substantial change into the volume or character of pollutants being introduced into that POTW by a source introducing pollutants into the POTW at the time of issuance of the permit.
3. For purposes of this paragraph, adequate notice shall include information on:
  - i. the quality and quantity of effluent introduced into the POTW, and
  - ii. any anticipated impact of the change on the quantity or quality of effluent to be discharged from the POTW.

For POTWs without an approved pretreatment program, the notice of industrial discharges which was not included in the permit application shall be made as soon as practicable. For POTWs with an approved pretreatment program, notice is to be included in the annual pretreatment report required in the special conditions of this permit. Notice may be sent to:

Missouri Department of Natural Resources  
Water Protection Program  
Attn: Pretreatment Coordinator  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

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**PART III – SLUDGE AND BIOSOLIDS FROM DOMESTIC AND INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATER  
TREATMENT FACILITIES**

**SECTION A – GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

1. This permit pertains to sludge requirements under the Missouri Clean Water Law and regulation for domestic wastewater and industrial process wastewater. This permit also incorporates applicable federal sludge disposal requirements under 40 CFR 503 for domestic wastewater. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has principal authority for permitting and enforcement of the federal sludge regulations under 40 CFR 503 for domestic wastewater. EPA has reviewed and accepted these standard sludge conditions. EPA may choose to issue a separate sludge addendum to this permit or a separate federal sludge permit at their discretion to further address the federal requirements.
2. These PART III Standard Conditions apply only to sludge and biosolids generated at domestic wastewater treatment facilities, including public owned treatment works (POTW), privately owned facilities and sludge or biosolids generated at industrial facilities.
3. Sludge and Biosolids Use and Disposal Practices:
  - a. The permittee is authorized to operate the sludge and biosolids treatment, storage, use, and disposal facilities listed in the facility description of this permit.
  - b. The permittee shall not exceed the design sludge volume listed in the facility description and shall not use sludge disposal methods that are not listed in the facility description, without prior approval of the permitting authority.
  - c. The permittee is authorized to operate the storage, treatment or generating sites listed in the Facility Description section of this permit.
4. Sludge Received from other Facilities:
  - a. Permittees may accept domestic wastewater sludge from other facilities including septic tank pumpings from residential sources as long as the design sludge volume is not exceeded and the treatment facility performance is not impaired.
  - b. The permittee shall obtain a signed statement from the sludge generator or hauler that certifies the type and source of the sludge
5. These permit requirements do not supersede nor remove liability for compliance with county and other local ordinances.
6. These permit requirements do not supersede nor remove liability for compliance with other environmental regulations such as odor emissions under the Missouri Air Pollution Control Law and regulations.
7. This permit may (after due process) be modified, or alternatively revoked and reissued, to comply with any applicable sludge disposal standard or limitation issued or approved under Section 405(d) of the Clean Water Act under Chapter 644 RSMo.
8. In addition to STANDARD CONDITIONS, the Department may include sludge limitations in the special conditions portion or other sections of a site specific permit.
9. Alternate Limits in the Site Specific Permit.

Where deemed appropriate, the Department may require an individual site specific permit in order to authorize alternate limitations:

  - a. A site specific permit must be obtained for each operating location, including application sites.
  - b. To request a site specific permit, an individual permit application, permit fee, and supporting documents shall be submitted for each operating location. This shall include a detailed sludge/biosolids management plan or engineering report.
10. Exceptions to these Standard Conditions may be authorized on a case-by-case basis by the Department, as follows:
  - a. The Department will prepare a permit modification and follow permit notice provisions as applicable under 10 CSR 20-6.020, 40 CFR 124.10, and 40 CFR 501.15(a)(2)(ix)(E). This includes notification of the owner of the property located adjacent to each land application site, where appropriate.
  - b. Exceptions cannot be granted where prohibited by the federal sludge regulations under 40 CFR 503.

## **SECTION B – DEFINITIONS**

1. Best Management Practices include agronomic loading rates, soil conservation practices and other site restrictions.
2. Biosolids means organic fertilizer or soil amendment produced by the treatment of domestic wastewater sludge.
3. Biosolids land application facility is a facility where biosolids are spread onto the land at agronomic rates for production of food or fiber. The facility includes any structures necessary to store the biosolids until soil, weather, and crop conditions are favorable for land application.
4. Class A biosolids means a material that has met the Class A pathogen reduction requirements or equivalent treatment by a Process to Further Reduce Pathogens (PFRP) in accordance with 40 CFR 503.
5. Class B biosolids means a material that has met the Class B pathogen reduction requirements or equivalent treatment by a Process to Significantly Reduce Pathogens (PFRP) in accordance with 40 CFR 503.
6. Domestic wastewater means wastewater originating from the sanitary conveniences of residences, commercial buildings, factories and institutions; or co-mingled sanitary and industrial wastewater processed by a (POTW) or a privately owned facility.
7. Industrial wastewater means any wastewater, also known as process water, not defined as domestic wastewater. Per 40 CFR Part 122, process water means any water which, during manufacturing or processing, comes into direct contact with or results from the production or use of any raw material, intermediate product, finished product, byproduct, or waste product.
8. Mechanical treatment plants are wastewater treatment facilities that use mechanical devices to treat wastewater, including septic tanks, sand filters, extended aeration, activated sludge, contact stabilization, trickling filters, rotating biological discs, and other similar facilities. It does not include wastewater treatment lagoons and constructed wetlands for wastewater treatment.
9. Operating location as defined in 10 CSR 20-2.010 is all contiguous lands owned, operated or controlled by one (1) person or by two (2) or more persons jointly or as tenants in common.
10. Plant Available Nitrogen (PAN) is the nitrogen that will be available to plants during the growing seasons after biosolids application.
11. Public contact site is land with a high potential for contact by the public. This includes, but is not limited to, public parks, ball fields, cemeteries, plant nurseries, turf farms, and golf courses.
12. Sludge is the solid, semisolid, or liquid residue removed during the treatment of wastewater. Sludge includes septage removed from septic tanks or equivalent facilities. Sludge does not include carbon coal byproducts (CCBs)
13. Sludge lagoon is part of a mechanical wastewater treatment facility. A sludge lagoon is an earthen basin that receives sludge that has been removed from a wastewater treatment facility. It does not include a wastewater treatment lagoon or sludge treatment units that are not a part of a mechanical wastewater treatment facility.
14. Septage is the material pumped from residential septic tanks and similar treatment works (with a design population of less than 150 people). The standard for biosolids from septage is different from other sludges.

## **SECTION C – MECHANICAL WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITIES**

1. Sludge shall be routinely removed from wastewater treatment facilities and handled according to the permit facility description and sludge conditions of this permit.
2. The permittee shall operate the facility so that there is no sludge discharged to waters of the state.
3. Mechanical treatment plants shall have separate sludge storage compartments in accordance with 10 CSR 20, Chapter 8. Failure to remove sludge from these storage compartments on the required design schedule is a violation of this permit.

## **SECTION D – SLUDGE DISPOSED AT OTHER TREATMENT FACILITY OR CONTRACT HAULER**

1. This section applies to permittees that haul sludge to another treatment facility for disposal or use contract haulers to remove and dispose of sludge.
2. Permittees that use contract haulers are responsible for compliance with all the terms of this permit including final disposal, unless the hauler has a separate permit for sludge or biosolids disposal issued by the Department; or the hauler transports the sludge to another permitted treatment facility.
3. Haulers who land apply septage must obtain a state permit.
4. Testing of sludge, other than total solids content, is not required if sludge is hauled to a municipal wastewater treatment facility or other permitted wastewater treatment facility, unless it is required by the accepting facility.

## **SECTION E – INCINERATION OF SLUDGE**

1. Sludge incineration facilities shall comply with the requirements of 40 CFR 503 Subpart E; air pollution control regulations under 10 CSR 10; and solid waste management regulations under 10 CSR 80.
2. Permittee may be authorized under the facility description of this permit to store incineration ash in lagoons or ash ponds. This permit does not authorize the disposal of incineration ash. Incineration ash shall be disposed in accordance with 10 CSR 80; or if the ash is determined to be hazardous with 10 CSR 25.
3. In addition to normal sludge monitoring, incineration facilities shall report the following as part of the annual report, quantity of sludge incinerated, quantity of ash generated, quantity of ash stored, and ash used or disposal method, quantity, and location. Permittee shall also provide the name of the disposal facility and the applicable permit number.

## **SECTION F – SURFACE DISPOSAL SITES AND SLUDGE LAGOONS**

1. Surface disposal sites of domestic facilities shall comply with the requirements in 40 CFR 503 Subpart C; air pollution control regulations under 10 CSR 10; and solid waste management regulations under 10 CSR 80.
2. Sludge storage lagoons are temporary facilities and are not required to obtain a permit as a solid waste management facility under 10 CSR 80. In order to maintain sludge storage lagoons as storage facilities, accumulated sludge must be removed routinely, but not less than once every two years unless an alternate schedule is approved in the permit. The amount of sludge removed will be dependent on sludge generation and accumulation in the facility. Enough sludge must be removed to maintain adequate storage capacity in the facility.
  - a. In order to avoid damage to the lagoon seal during cleaning, the permittee may leave a layer of sludge on the bottom of the lagoon, upon prior approval of the Department; or
  - b. Permittee shall close the lagoon in accordance with Section H.

## **SECTION G – LAND APPLICATION**

1. The permittee shall not land apply sludge or biosolids unless land application is authorized in the facility description or the special conditions of the issued NPDES permit.
2. Land application sites within a 20 miles radius of the wastewater treatment facility are authorized under this permit when biosolids are applied for beneficial use in accordance with these standard conditions unless otherwise specified in a site specific permit. If the permittee's land application site is greater than a 20 mile radius of the wastewater treatment facility, approval must be granted from the Department.
3. Land application shall not adversely affect a threatened or endangered species or its designated critical habitat.
4. Biosolids shall not be applied unless authorized in this permit or exempted under 10 CSR 20, Chapter 6.
  - a. This permit does not authorize the land application of domestic sludge except for when sludge meets the definition of biosolids.
  - b. This permit authorizes "Class A or B" biosolids derived from domestic wastewater and/or process water sludge to be land applied onto grass land, crop land, timber or other similar agricultural or silviculture lands at rates suitable for beneficial use as organic fertilizer and soil conditioner.
5. Public Contact Sites:

Permittees who wish to apply Class A biosolids to public contact sites must obtain approval from the Department after two years of proper operation with acceptable testing documentation that shows the biosolids meet Class A criteria. A shorter length of testing will be allowed with prior approval from the Department. Authorization for land applications must be provided in the special conditions section of this permit or in a separate site specific permit.

  - a. After Class B biosolids have been land applied, public access must be restricted for 12 months.
  - b. Class B biosolids are only land applied to root crops, home gardens or vegetable crops whose edible parts will not be for human consumption.
6. Agricultural and Silvicultural Sites:

Septage – Based on Water Quality guide 422 (WQ422) published by the University of Missouri

  - a. Haulers that land apply septage must obtain a state permit
  - b. Do not apply more than 30,000 gallons of septage per acre per year.
  - c. Septage tanks are designed to retain sludge for one to three years which will allow for a larger reduction in pathogens and vectors, as compared to other mechanical type treatment facilities.
  - d. To meet Class B sludge requirements, maintain septage at 12 pH for at least thirty (30) minutes before land application. 50 pounds of hydrated lime shall be added to each 1,000 gallons of septage in order to meet pathogen and vector stabilization for septage biosolids applied to crops, pastures or timberland.
  - e. Lime is to be added to the pump truck and not directly to the septic tanks, as lime would harm the beneficial bacteria of the septic tank.

Biosolids - Based on Water Quality guide 423, 424, and 425 (WQ423, WQ424, WQ425) published by the University of Missouri;

- a. Biosolids shall be monitored to determine the quality for regulated pollutants
- b. The number of samples taken is directly related to the amount of sludge produced by the facility (See Section I of these Standard Conditions). Report as dry weight unless otherwise specified in the site specific permit. Samples should be taken only during land application periods. When necessary, it is permissible to mix biosolids with lower concentrations of biosolids as well as other suitable Department approved material to reach the maximum concentration of pollutants allowed.
- c. Table 1 gives the maximum concentration allowable to protect water quality standards

**TABLE 1**

Biosolids ceiling concentration <sup>1</sup>	
Pollutant	Milligrams per kilogram dry weight
Arsenic	75
Cadmium	85
Copper	4,300
Lead	840
Mercury	57
Molybdenum	75
Nickel	420
Selenium	100
Zinc	7,500

<sup>1</sup> Land application is not allowed if the sludge concentration exceeds the maximum limits for any of these pollutants

- d. The low metal concentration biosolids has reduced requirements because of its higher quality and can safely be applied for 100 years or longer at typical agronomic loading rates. (See Table 2)

**TABLE 2**

Biosolids Low Metal Concentration <sup>1</sup>	
Pollutant	Milligrams per kilogram dry weight
Arsenic	41
Cadmium	39
Copper	1,500
Lead	300
Mercury	17
Nickel	420
Selenium	36
Zinc	2,800

<sup>1</sup> You may apply low metal biosolids without tracking cumulative metal limits, provided the cumulative application of biosolids does not exceed 500 dry tons per acre.

- e. Each pollutant in Table 3 has an annual and a total cumulative loading limit, based on the allowable pounds per acre for various soil categories.

**TABLE 3**

Pollutant	CEC 15+		CEC 5 to 15		CEC 0 to 5	
	Annual	Total <sup>1</sup>	Annual	Total <sup>1</sup>	Annual	Total <sup>1</sup>
Arsenic	1.8	36.0	1.8	36.0	1.8	36.0
Cadmium	1.7	35.0	0.9	9.0	0.4	4.5
Copper	66.0	1,335.0	25.0	250.0	12.0	125.0
Lead	13.0	267.0	13.0	267.0	13.0	133.0
Mercury	0.7	15.0	0.7	15.0	0.7	15.0
Nickel	19.0	347.0	19.0	250.0	12.0	125.0
Selenium	4.5	89.0	4.5	44.0	1.6	16.0
Zinc	124.0	2,492.0	50.0	500.0	25.0	250.0

<sup>1</sup> Total cumulative loading limits for soils with equal or greater than 6.0 pH (salt based test) or 6.5 pH (water based test)

**TABLE 4** - Guidelines for land application of other trace substances <sup>1</sup>

Cumulative Loading	
Pollutant	Pounds per acre
Aluminum	4,000 <sup>2</sup>
Beryllium	100
Cobalt	50
Fluoride	800
Manganese	500
Silver	200
Tin	1,000
Dioxin	(10 ppt in soil) <sup>3</sup>
Other	<sup>4</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Design of land treatment systems for Industrial Waste, 1979. Michael Ray Overcash, North Carolina State University and Land Treatment of Municipal Wastewater, EPA 1981.)

<sup>2</sup> This applies for a soil with a pH between 6.0 and 7.0 (salt based test) or a pH between 6.5 to 7.5 (water based test). Case-by-case review is required for higher pH soils.

<sup>3</sup> Total Dioxin Toxicity Equivalents (TEQ) in soils, based on a risk assessment under 40 CFR 744, May 1998.

<sup>4</sup> Case by case review. Concentrations in sludge should not exceed the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile of the National Sewage Sludge Survey, EPA, January 2009.

Best Management Practices – Based on Water Quality guide 426 (WQ426) published by the University of Missouri

- a. Use best management practices when applying biosolids.
- b. Biosolids cannot discharge from the land application site
- c. Biosolid application is subject to the Missouri Department of Agriculture State Milk Board concerning grazing restrictions of lactating dairy cattle.
- d. Biosolid application must be in accordance with section 4 of the Endangered Species Act.
- e. Do not apply more than the agronomic rate of nitrogen needed.
- f. The applicator must document the Plant Available Nitrogen (PAN) loadings, available nitrogen in the soil, and crop removal when either of the following occurs: 1) When biosolids are greater than 50,000 mg/kg TN; or 2) When biosolids are land applied at an application rate greater than two dry tons per acre per year.
  - i. PAN can be determined as follows and is in accordance with WQ426  
(Nitrate + nitrite nitrogen) + (organic nitrogen x 0.2) + (ammonia nitrogen x volatilization factor<sup>1</sup>).  
<sup>1</sup>Volatilization factor is 0.7 for surface application and 1 for subsurface application.
- g. Buffer zones are as follows:
  - i. 300 feet of a water supply well, sinkhole, lake, pond, water supply reservoir or water supply intake in a stream;
  - ii. 300 feet of a losing stream, no discharge stream, stream stretches designated for whole body contact recreation, wild and scenic rivers, Ozark National Scenic Riverways or outstanding state resource waters as listed in the Water Quality Standards, 10 CSR 20-7.031;
  - iii. 150 feet if dwellings;
  - iv. 100 feet of wetlands or permanent flowing streams;
  - v. 50 feet of a property line or other waters of the state, including intermittent flowing streams.
- h. Slope limitation for application sites are as follows;
  - i. A slope 0 to 6 percent has no rate limitation
  - ii. Applied to a slope 7 to 12 percent, the applicator may apply biosolids when soil conservation practices are used to meet the minimum erosion levels
  - iii. Slopes > 12 percent, apply biosolids only when grass is vegetated and maintained with at least 80 percent ground cover at a rate of two dry tons per acre per year or less.
- i. No biosolids may be land applied in an area that it is reasonably certain that pollutants will be transported into waters of the state.
- j. Do not apply biosolids to sites with soil that is snow covered, frozen or saturated with liquid without prior approval by the Department.
- k. Biosolids / sludge applicators must keep detailed records up to five years.

## SECTION H – CLOSURE REQUIREMENTS

1. This section applies to all wastewater facilities (mechanical, industrial, and lagoons) and sludge or biosolids storage and treatment facilities and incineration ash ponds. It does not apply to land application sites.
2. Permittees of a domestic wastewater facility who plan to cease operation must obtain Department approval of a closure plan which addresses proper removal and disposal of all residues, including sludge, biosolids. Mechanical plants, sludge lagoons, ash ponds and other storage structures must obtain approval of a closure plan from the Department. Permittee must maintain this permit until the facility is closed in accordance with the approved closure plan per 10 CSR 20 – 6. 010 and 10 CSR 20 – 6.015.
3. Residuals that are left in place during closure of a lagoon or earthen structure or ash pond shall not exceed the agricultural loading rates as follows:
  - a. Residuals shall meet the monitoring and land application limits for agricultural rates as referenced in Section H of these standard conditions.
  - b. If a wastewater treatment lagoon has been in operation for 15 years or more without sludge removal, the sludge in the lagoon qualifies as a Class B biosolids with respect to pathogens due to anaerobic digestion, and testing for fecal coliform is not required. For other lagoons, testing for fecal coliform is required to show compliance with Class B biosolids limitations. In order to reach Class B biosolids requirements, fecal coliform must be less than 2,000,000 colony forming units or 2,000,000 most probable number. All fecal samples must be presented as geometric mean per gram.
  - c. The allowable nitrogen loading that may be left in the lagoon shall be based on the plant available nitrogen (PAN) loading. For a grass cover crop, the allowable PAN is 300 pounds/acre.
    - i. PAN can be determined as follows:  
$$(\text{Nitrate} + \text{nitrite nitrogen}) + (\text{organic nitrogen} \times 0.2) + (\text{ammonia nitrogen} \times \text{volatilization factor}^1).$$

<sup>1</sup> Volatilization factor is 0.7 for surface application and 1 for subsurface application.
4. When closing a domestic wastewater treatment lagoon with a design treatment capacity equal or less than 150 persons, the residuals are considered “septage” under the similar treatment works definition. See Section B of these standard conditions. Under the septage category, residuals may be left in place as follows:
  - a. Testing for metals or fecal coliform is not required
  - b. If the wastewater treatment lagoon has been in use for less than 15 years, mix lime with the sludge at a rate of 50 pounds of hydrated lime per 1000 gallons (134 cubic feet) of sludge.
  - c. The amount of sludge that may be left in the lagoon shall be based on the plant available nitrogen (PAN) loading. 100 dry tons/acre of sludge may be left in the basin without testing for nitrogen. If 100 dry tons/acre or more will be left in the lagoon, test for nitrogen and determine the PAN using the calculation above. Allowable PAN loading is 300 pounds/acre.
5. Residuals left within the domestic lagoon shall be mixed with soil on at least a 1 to 1 ratio, the lagoon berm shall be demolished, and the site shall be graded and contain  $\geq 70\%$  vegetative density over 100% of the site so as to avoid ponding of storm water and provide adequate surface water drainage without creating erosion.
6. Lagoons and/or earthen structure and/or ash pond closure activities shall obtain a storm water permit for land disturbance activities that equal or exceed one acre in accordance with 10 CSR 20-6.200
7. When closing a mechanical wastewater and/or industrial process wastewater plant; all sludge must be cleaned out and disposed of in accordance with the Department approved closure plan before the permit for the facility can be terminated.
  - a. Land must be stabilized which includes any grading, alternate use or fate upon approval by the Department, remediation, or other work that exposes sediment to stormwater per 10 CSR 20-6.200. The site shall be graded and contain  $\geq 70\%$  vegetative density over 100% of the site, so as to avoid ponding of storm water and provide adequate surface water drainage without creating erosion.
  - b. Per 10 CSR 20-6.015(4)(B)6, Hazardous Waste shall not be land applied or disposed during industrial and mechanical plant closures unless in accordance with Missouri Hazardous Waste Management Law and Regulations under 10 CSR 25.
  - c. After demolition of the mechanical plant / industrial plant, the site must only contain clean fill defined in RSMo 260.200 (5) as uncontaminated soil, rock, sand, gravel, concrete, asphaltic concrete, cinderblocks, brick, minimal amounts of wood and metal, and inert solids as approved by rule or policy of the Department for fill or other beneficial use. Other solid wastes must be removed.
8. If sludge from the domestic lagoon or mechanical treatment plant exceeds agricultural rates under Section G and/or H, a landfill permit or solid waste disposal permit must be obtained if the permittee chooses to seek authorization for on-site sludge disposal under the Missouri Solid Waste Management Law and regulations per 10 CSR 80, and the permittee must comply with the surface disposal requirements under 40 CFR 503, Subpart C.

**SECTION I – MONITORING FREQUENCY**

- At a minimum, sludge or biosolids shall be tested for volume and percent total solids on a frequency that will accurately represent sludge quantities produced and disposed. Please see the table below.

**TABLE 5**

Design Sludge Production (dry tons per year)	Monitoring Frequency (See Notes 1, 2, and 3)			
	Metals, Pathogens and Vectors	Nitrogen TKN <sup>1</sup>	Nitrogen PAN <sup>2</sup>	Priority Pollutants and TCLP <sup>3</sup>
0 to 100	1 per year	1 per year	1 per month	1 per year
101 to 200	biannual	biannual	1 per month	1 per year
201 to 1,000	quarterly	quarterly	1 per month	1 per year
1,001 to 10,000	1 per month	1 per month	1 per week	-- <sup>4</sup>
10,001 +	1 per week	1 per week	1 per day	-- <sup>4</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Test total Kjeldahl nitrogen, if biosolids application is 2 dry tons per acre per year or less.

<sup>2</sup> Calculate plant available nitrogen (PAN) when either of the following occurs: 1) when biosolids are greater than 50,000 mg/kg TN; or 2) when biosolids are land applied at an application rate greater than two dry tons per acre per year.

<sup>3</sup> Priority pollutants (40 CFR 122.21, Appendix D, Tables II and III) and toxicity characteristic leaching procedure (40 CFR 261.24) is required only for permit holders that must have a pre-treatment program.

<sup>4</sup> One sample for each 1,000 dry tons of sludge.

Note 1: Total solids: A grab sample of sludge shall be tested one per day during land application periods for percent total solids.

This data shall be used to calculate the dry tons of sludge applied per acre.

Note 2: Total Phosphorus: Total phosphorus and total potassium shall be tested at the same monitoring frequency as metals.

Note 3: Table 5 is not applicable for incineration and permit holders that landfill their sludge.

- If you own a wastewater treatment lagoon or sludge lagoon that is cleaned out once a year or less, you may choose to sample only when the sludge is removed or the lagoon is closed. Test one composite sample for each 100 dry tons of sludge or biosolids removed from the lagoon during the year within the lagoon at closing. Composite sample must represent various areas at one-foot depth.
- Additional testing may be required in the special conditions or other sections of the permit. Permittees receiving industrial wastewater may be required to conduct additional testing upon request from the Department.
- At this time, the Department recommends monitoring requirements shall be performed in accordance with, "POTW Sludge Sampling and Analysis Guidance Document," United States Environmental Protection Agency, August 1989, and the subsequent revisions.

**SECTION J – RECORD KEEPING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

- The permittee shall maintain records on file at the facility for at least five years for the items listed in these standard conditions and any additional items in the Special Conditions section of this permit. This shall include dates when the sludge facility is checked for proper operation, records of maintenance and repairs and other relevant information.
- Reporting period
  - By January 28<sup>th</sup> of each year, an annual report shall be submitted for the previous calendar year period for all mechanical wastewater treatment facilities, sludge lagoons, and sludge or biosolids disposal facilities.
  - Permittees with wastewater treatment lagoons shall submit the above annual report only when sludge or biosolids are removed from the lagoon during the report period or when the lagoon is closed.
- Report Forms. The annual report shall be submitted on report forms provided by the Department or equivalent forms approved by the Department.
- Reports shall be submitted as follows:

Major facilities (those serving 10,000 persons or 1 million gallons per day) shall report to both the Department and EPA. Other facilities need to report only to the Department. Reports shall be submitted to the addresses listed as follows:

DNR regional office listed in your permit  
 (see cover letter of permit)  
 ATTN: Sludge Coordinator

EPA Region VII  
 Water Compliance Branch (WACM)  
 Sludge Coordinator  
 11201 Renner Blvd.  
 Lenexa, KS 66219

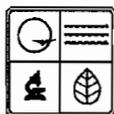
5. Annual report contents. The annual report shall include the following:
- a. Sludge and biosolids testing performed. Include a copy or summary of all test results, even if not required by the permit.
  - b. Sludge or biosolids quantity shall be reported as dry tons for quantity generated by the wastewater treatment facility, the quantity stored on site at the end of the year, and the quantity used or disposed.
  - c. Gallons and % solids data used to calculate the dry ton amounts.
  - d. Description of any unusual operating conditions.
  - e. Final disposal method, dates, and location, and person responsible for hauling and disposal.
    - i. This must include the name, address for the hauler and sludge facility. If hauled to a municipal wastewater treatment facility, sanitary landfill, or other approved treatment facility, give the name of that facility.
    - ii. Include a description of the type of hauling equipment used and the capacity in tons, gallons, or cubic feet.
  - f. Contract Hauler Activities:

If contract hauler, provide a copy of a signed contract from the contractor. Permittee shall require the contractor to supply information required under this permit for which the contractor is responsible. The permittee shall submit a signed statement from the contractor that he has complied with the standards contained in this permit, unless the contract hauler has a separate sludge or biosolids use permit.
  - g. Land Application Sites:
    - i. Report the location of each application site, the annual and cumulative dry tons/acre for each site, and the landowners name and address. The location for each spreading site shall be given as a legal description for nearest ¼, ¼, Section, Township, Range, and county, or UTM coordinates. The facility shall report PAN when either of the following occurs: 1) When biosolids are greater than 50,000 mg/kg TN; or 2) when biosolids are land applied at an application rate greater than two dry tons per acre per year.
    - ii. If the "Low Metals" criteria are exceeded, report the annual and cumulative pollutant loading rates in pounds per acre for each applicable pollutant, and report the percent of cumulative pollutant loading which has been reached at each site.
    - iii. Report the method used for compliance with pathogen and vector attraction requirements.
    - iv. Report soil test results for pH, CEC, and phosphorus. If none was tested during the year, report the last date when tested and results.

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**FORM B2 – APPLICATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OR OPERATING PERMIT FOR FACILITIES WHICH RECEIVE PRIMARILY DOMESTIC WASTE AND HAVE A DESIGN FLOW MORE THAN 100,000 GALLONS PER DAY**

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**PART A – BASIC APPLICATION INFORMATION**

1. This application is for:

An operating permit and antidegradation review public notice.

A construction permit following an appropriate operating permit and antidegradation review public notice.

A construction permit, a concurrent operating permit and antidegradation review public notice.

A construction permit (submitted before Aug. 30, 2008 or antidegradation review is not required).

An operating permit for a new or unpermitted facility. Construction Permit # \_\_\_\_\_

An operating permit renewal: Permit #MO- 0022853 Expiration Date July 9, 2014

An operating permit modification: Permit #MO- \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

1.1 Is this a Federal/State Funded Project?  Yes  No Funding Agency/Project #: \_\_\_\_\_

1.2 Is the appropriate fee included with the application (See instructions for appropriate fee)?  Yes  No

**2. FACILITY**

NAME Jackson Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant		TELEPHONE NUMBER WITH AREA CODE 573-243-4290	
ADDRESS (PHYSICAL) 2230 Lee Ave.	CITY Jackson	STATE MO	ZIP 63755

2.1 LEGAL DESCRIPTION (Plant Site): See Attached 1/4, 1/4, 1/4, Sec. , T , R County See Attached

2.2 UTM Coordinates Easting (X): +3221423 Northing (Y): -08940436  
For Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM), Zone 15 North referenced to North American Datum 1983 (NAD83)

**3. OWNER**

NAME City of Jackson		TITLE Municipality		TELEPHONE NUMBER WITH AREA CODE 573-243-3568	
ADDRESS 101 Court St.	CITY Jackson	STATE MO	ZIP 63755		

3.1 Request review of draft permit prior to Public Notice?  Yes  No

**4. CONTINUING AUTHORITY:** Permanent organization which will serve as the continuing authority for the operation, maintenance and modernization of the facility.

NAME City of Jackson		CITY Jackson	
ADDRESS 101 Court St.	CERTIFICATE NUMBER (IF APPLICABLE) 4715	STATE MO	ZIP 63755

**5. OPERATOR**

NAME Kenny Gibbar		TITLE Wastewater Foreman		TELEPHONE NUMBER WITH AREA CODE 573-243-4290	
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**6. FACILITY CONTACT**

NAME Kent Peetz		TITLE Director of Wastewater Utilities	
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FACILITY NAME Jackson Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	
PERMIT NO. MO-0022853	COUNTY Cape Girardeau

**APPLICATION OVERVIEW**

Form B2 has been developed in a modular format and consists of Parts A, B and C and a Supplemental Application Information (Parts D, E, F and G) packet. All applicants must complete Parts A, B and C. Some applicants must also complete parts of the Supplemental Application Information packet. The following items explain which parts of Form B2 you must complete. Submittal of an incomplete application may result in the application being returned.

**BASIC APPLICATION INFORMATION**

- A. Basic Application Information for all Applicants. All applicants must complete Part A.
- B. Additional Application Information for all Applicants. All applicants must complete Part B.
- C. Certification. All applicants must complete Part C.

**SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION INFORMATION**

- D. Expanded Effluent Testing Data. A treatment works that discharges effluent to surface water of the United States and meets one or more of the following criteria must complete *Part D - Expanded Effluent Testing Data*:
  - 1. Has a design flow rate greater than or equal to 1 million gallons per day.
  - 2. Is required to have or currently has a pretreatment program.
  - 3. Is otherwise required by the permitting authority to provide the information.
- E. Toxicity Testing Data. A treatment works that meets one or more of the following criteria must complete *Part E - Toxicity Testing Data*:
  - 1. Has a design flow rate greater than or equal to 1 million gallons per day.
  - 2. Is required to have or currently has a pretreatment program.
  - 3. Is otherwise required by the permitting authority to provide the information.
- F. Industrial User Discharges and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act / Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act Wastes. A treatment works that accepts process wastewater from any significant industrial users, also known as SIUs, or receives a Resource Conservation and Recovery Act or CERCLA wastes must complete *Part F - Industrial User Discharges and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act /CERCLA Wastes*.  
  
SIUs are defined as:
  - 1. All Categorical Industrial Users, or CIUs, subject to Categorical Pretreatment Standards under 40 Code of Federal Regulations 403.6 and 40 Code of Federal Regulations 403.6 and 40 CFR Chapter 1, Subchapter N.
  - 2. Any other industrial user that meets one or more of the following:
    - i. Discharges an average of 25,000 gallons per day or more of process wastewater to the treatment works (with certain exclusions).
    - ii. Contributes a process waste stream that makes up five percent or more of the average dry weather hydraulic or organic capacity of the treatment plant.
    - iii. Is designated as an SIU by the control authority.
- G. Combined Sewer Systems. A treatment works that has a combined sewer system must complete *Part G - Combined Sewer Systems*.

**ALL APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE PARTS A, B and C**

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<b>PART A – BASIC APPLICATION INFORMATION</b>			
<b>7. ADDITIONAL FACILITY INFORMATION</b>			
7.1 BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF FACILITIES Mechanical head works / oxidation ditches / secondary clarifiers / UV disinfection / aerobic sludge digestion / sludge holding tanks / sludge is land applied.			
7.2 TOPOGRAPHIC MAP. ATTACH TO THIS APPLICATION A TOPOGRAPHIC MAP OF THE AREA EXTENDING AT LEAST ONE MILE BEYOND FACILITY PROPERTY BOUNDARIES. THIS MAP MUST SHOW THE OUTLINE OF THE FACILITY AND THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION. (YOU MAY SUBMIT MORE THAN ONE MAP IF ONE MAP DOES NOT SHOW THE ENTIRE AREA.) a. The area surrounding the treatment plant, including all unit processes. b. The location of the downstream landowner(s). (See Item 10.) c. The major pipes or other structures through which wastewater enters the treatment works and the pipes or other structures through which treated wastewater is discharged from the treatment plant. Include outfalls from bypass piping, if applicable. d. The actual point of discharge. e. Wells, springs, other surface water bodies and drinking water wells that are: 1) within ¼ mile of the property boundaries of the treatment works, and 2) listed in public record or otherwise known to the applicant. f. Any areas where the sewage sludge produced by the treatment works is stored, treated or disposed. g. If the treatment works receives waste that is classified as hazardous under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or RCRA, by truck, rail or special pipe, show on the map where that hazardous waste enters the treatment works and where it is treated, stored or disposed.			
7.3 PROCESS FLOW DIAGRAM OR SCHEMATIC. PROVIDE A DIAGRAM SHOWING THE PROCESSES OF THE TREATMENT PLANT. ALSO, PROVIDE A WATER BALANCE SHOWING ALL TREATMENT UNITS, INCLUDING DISINFECTION (E.G. CHLORINATION AND DECHLORINATION). THE WATER BALANCE MUST SHOW DAILY AVERAGE FLOW RATES AT INFLUENT AND DISCHARGE POINTS AND APPROXIMATE DAILY FLOW RATES BETWEEN TREATMENT UNITS. INCLUDE A BRIEF NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF THE DIAGRAM.			
7.4 FACILITY SIC CODE <u>4952</u>	DISCHARGE SIC CODE: <u>4952</u>	FACILITY NAICS CODE: <u>221320</u>	DISCHARGE NAICS CODE: <u>221320</u>
7.5 NUMBER OF SEPARATE DISCHARGE POINTS <u>1</u>			
7.6 NUMBER OF PEOPLE PRESENTLY CONNECTED OR POPULATION EQUIVALENT <u>13,758</u>		DESIGN POPULATION EQUIVALENT <u>17,900</u>	
NUMBER OF UNITS PRESENTLY CONNECTED HOMES <u>4869</u> APARTMENTS <u>675</u> TRAILERS <u>53</u> OTHER <u>540</u>			
TOTAL DESIGN FLOW (ALL OUTFALLS) <u>2.4 MGD</u>		ACTUAL FLOW <u>1.81 MGD</u>	
7.7 DOES ANY BYPASSING OCCUR ANYWHERE IN THE COLLECTION SYSTEM OR AT THE TREATMENT FACILITY? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (If Yes, attach an explanation.)			
7.8 LENGTH OF THE SANITARY SEWER COLLECTION SYSTEM IN MILES <u>110</u>			
7.9 IS INDUSTRIAL WASTE DISCHARGED TO THE FACILITY IDENTIFIED IN ITEM 2?      Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>			
7.10 WILL THE DISCHARGE BE CONTINUOUS THROUGH THE YEAR?      Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>			
A. DISCHARGE WILL OCCUR DURING THE FOLLOWING MONTHS <u>Jan. - Dec.</u>		B. HOW MANY DAYS OF THE WEEK WILL THE DISCHARGE OCCUR? <u>7</u>	
7.11 IS WASTEWATER LAND APPLIED? (If Yes, Attach Form I) Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		7.12 DOES THIS FACILITY DISCHARGE TO A LOSING STREAM OR SINKHOLE?      Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
7.13 HAS A WASTE LOAD ALLOCATION STUDY BEEN COMPLETED FOR THIS FACILITY? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>			
7.14 LIST ALL PERMIT VIOLATIONS, INCLUDING EFFLUENT LIMIT EXCEEDANCES IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS. ATTACH A SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY. IF NONE, WRITE NONE.      See Attached.			
<b>8. LABORATORY CONTROL INFORMATION</b>			
8.1 LABORATORY WORK CONDUCTED BY PLANT PERSONNEL			
Lab work conducted outside of plant.		Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Push-button or visual methods for simple test such as pH, settleable solids.		Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Additional procedures such as Dissolved Oxygen, Chemical Oxygen Demand, Biological Oxygen Demand, titrations, solids, volatile content.		Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
More advanced determinations such as BOD seeding procedures, fecal coliform, nutrients, total oils, phenols, etc.		Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Highly sophisticated instrumentation, such as atomic absorption and gas chromatograph.		Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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**PART A – BASIC APPLICATION INFORMATION**

**9. SLUDGE HANDLING, USE AND DISPOSAL**

9.1 IS THE SLUDGE A HAZARDOUS WASTE AS DEFINED BY 10 CSR 25?  
 Yes  No

9.2 SLUDGE PRODUCTION, INCLUDING SLUDGE RECEIVED FROM OTHERS  
 Design Dry Tons/Year 376 Actual Dry Tons/Year 177.8

9.3 CAPACITY OF SLUDGE HOLDING STRUCTURES

9.4 SLUDGE STORAGE PROVIDED  
 Cubic Feet 115,466 Days of Storage 120 Average Percent Solids of Sludge 3  No Sludge Storage is Provided

9.5 TYPE OF STORAGE  
 Holding Tank  Basin  Building  Concrete Pad  Other (Describe) \_\_\_\_\_

9.6 SLUDGE TREATMENT  
 Anaerobic Digester  Storage Tank  Lime Stabilization  Lagoon  
 Aerobic Digester  Air or Heat Drying  Composting  Other (Attach Description)

9.7 SLUDGE USE OR DISPOSAL  
 Land Application  Contract Hauler  Hauled to Another Treatment Facility  Solid Waste Landfill  
 Surface Disposal (Sludge Disposal Lagoon, Sludge Held For More Than Two Years)  Incineration  
 Other (Attach Explanation Sheet) \_\_\_\_\_

**9.8 PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR HAULING SLUDGE TO DISPOSAL FACILITY**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP

CONTACT PERSON	TELEPHONE NUMBER WITH AREA CODE	PERMIT NO. MO-

**9.9 SLUDGE USE OR DISPOSAL FACILITY**  
 By Applicant  By Others (Complete Below)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP

CONTACT PERSON	TELEPHONE NUMBER WITH AREA CODE	PERMIT NO. MO-

9.10 DO THE SLUDGE OR BIOSOLIDS DISPOSAL COMPLY WITH FEDERAL SLUDGE REGULATIONS UNDER 40 CFR 503?  
 Yes  No (Attach Explanation)

**10. DOWNSTREAM LANDOWNER(S). (ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS NECESSARY.)**

NAME  
Paul & Eileen Meier Trust

ADDRESS 2013 CR 330	CITY Jackson	STATE MO	ZIP 63755
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**11. DRINKING WATER SUPPLY INFORMATION**

11.1 SOURCE OF YOUR DRINKING WATER SUPPLY  
 A. PUBLIC SUPPLY (MUNICIPAL OR WATER DISTRICT WATER) (IF PUBLIC, PLEASE GIVE NAME OF PUBLIC SUPPLY)  
 City of Jackson  
 B. PRIVATE WELL  
 C. SURFACE WATER (LAKE, POND OR STREAM)

11.2 DOES YOUR DRINKING WATER SOURCE SERVE AT LEAST 25 PEOPLE AT LEAST 60 DAYS PER YEAR (NOT NECESSARILY CONSECUTIVE DAYS)?  
 Yes  No

11.3 DOES YOUR SPPLY SERVE HOUSING THAT IS OCCUPIED YEAR ROUND BY THE SAME PEOPLE? THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE HOUSING THAT IS OCCUPIED SEASONALLY?  
 Yes  No

**END OF PART A**

<b>MAKE ADDITIONAL COPIES OF THIS FORM FOR EACH OUTFALL</b>			
FACILITY NAME Jackson Municipal Wastewater Treatment	PERMIT NO. MO- 0022853	OUTFALL NO. 1	
<b>PART B – ADDITIONAL APPLICATION INFORMATION</b>			
<b>20. INFLOW AND INFILTRATION</b>			
ESTIMATE THE AVERAGE NUMBER OF GALLONS PER DAY THAT FLOW INTO THE TREATMENT WORKS FROM INFLOW AND INFILTRATION. Gallons Per Day 500,000			
BRIEFLY EXPLAIN ANY STEPS UNDERWAY OR PLANNED TO MINIMIZE INFLOW AND INFILTRATION. See attached.			
<b>20.1 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE PERFORMED BY CONTRACTOR(S)</b>			
ARE ANY OPERATIONAL OR MAINTENANCE ASPECTS (RELATED TO WASTEWATER TREATMENT AND EFFLUENT QUALITY) OF THE TREATMENT WORKS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF A CONTRACTOR? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If Yes, list the name, address, telephone number and status of each contractor and describe the contractor's responsibilities. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)			
NAME			
MAILING ADDRESS			
TELEPHONE NUMBER WITH AREA CODE			
RESPONSIBILITIES OF CONTRACTOR			
<b>20.2 SCHEDULED IMPROVEMENTS AND SCHEDULES OF IMPLEMENTATION. PROVIDE INFORMATION ABOUT ANY UNCOMPLETED IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE OR UNCOMPLETED PLANS FOR IMPROVEMENTS THAT WILL AFFECT THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT, EFFLUENT QUALITY OR DESIGN CAPACITY OF THE TREATMENT WORKS. IF THE TREATMENT WORKS HAS SEVERAL DIFFERENT IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULES OR IS PLANNING SEVERAL IMPROVEMENTS, SUBMIT SEPARATE RESPONSES FOR EACH. (IF NONE, GO TO QUESTION B-20.3.)</b>			
A. List the outfall number that is covered by this implementation schedule Outfall No. 1		B. Indicate whether the planned improvements or implementation schedule are required by local, state or federal agencies. Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>20.3 WASTEWATER DISCHARGES:</b> COMPLETE QUESTIONS 20.4 THROUGH 20.7 ONCE FOR EACH OUTFALL (INCLUDING BYPASS POINTS) THROUGH WHICH EFFLUENT IS DISCHARGED. DO NOT INCLUDE INFORMATION ON COMBINED SEWER OVERFLOWS IN THIS SECTION.			
<b>20.4 DESCRIPTION OF OUTFALL</b>			
OUTFALL NUMBER 1			
A. LOCATION ¼ ___ ¼ ___ ¼ ___ Section ___ Township ___ Range ___ <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> W UTM Coordinates Easting (X): ___ Northing (Y): ___ For Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM), Zone 15 North referenced to North American Datum 1983 (NAD83)			
B. Distance from Shore (If Applicable) ___ ft.	C. Depth Below Surface (If Applicable) ___ ft.	D. Average Daily Flow Rate 1.81 mgd	
E. Does this outfall have either an intermittent or periodic discharge? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, Provide the following information:			
Number of Days Per Year Discharge Occurs:	Average Duration of Each Discharge:	Average Flow Per Discharge: mgd	Months in Which Discharge Occurs:
Is Outfall Equipped with a Diffuser? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
<b>20.5 DESCRIPTION OF RECEIVING WATER</b>			
B. Name of Receiving Water Goose Creek			
B. Name of Watershed (If Known) Headwater Diversion Channel		U.S. Soil Conservation Service 14-Digit Watershed Code (If Known) 07140107-060001	
B. Name of State Management/River Basin (If Known)		U.S. Geological Survey 8-Digit Hydrologic Cataloging Unit Code (If Known) 07140107	
B. Critical Flow of Receiving Stream (If Applicable) Acute 0.0 cfs Chronic 0.0 cfs		B. Total Hardness of Receiving Stream at Critical Low Flow (If Applicable) mg/L of CaCO <sub>3</sub> 360	

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**PART B – ADDITIONAL APPLICATION INFORMATION (CONTINUED)**

20.6 DESCRIPTION OF TREATMENT

A. WHAT LEVELS OF TREATMENT ARE PROVIDED? Check All That Apply

Primary     Secondary     Advanced     Other (Describe)

B. INDICATE THE FOLLOWING REMOVAL RATES (AS APPLICABLE)

Design BOD<sub>5</sub> Removal Or Design CBOD<sub>5</sub> Removal      85 %      Design SS Removal      85 %  
Design P Removal      %      Design N Removal      %      Other      %

C. What type of disinfection is used for the effluent from this outfall? If disinfection varies by season, please describe:

Ultraviolet during recreational season (April through October) only.

If disinfection is by chlorination, is dechlorination used for this outfall?       Yes       No

Does the treatment plant have post aeration?       Yes       No

20.7 EFFLUENT TESTING DATA. ALL APPLICANTS THAT DISCHARGE TO WATERS OF THE U.S. MUST PROVIDE EFFLUENT TESTING DATA FOR THE FOLLOWING PARAMETERS. PROVIDE THE INDICATED EFFLUENT DATA FOR EACH OUTFALL THROUGH WHICH EFFLUENT IS DISCHARGED. DO NOT INCLUDE INFORMATION OF COMBINED SEWER OVERFLOWS IN THIS SECTION. ALL INFORMATION REPORTED MUST BE BASED ON DATA COLLECTED THROUGH ANALYSIS CONDUCTED USING 40 CFR PART 136 METHODS. IN ADDITION, THIS DATA MUST COMPLY WITH QA/QC REQUIREMENTS OF 40 CFR PART 136 AND OTHER APPROPRIATE QA/QC REQUIREMENTS FOR STANDARD METHODS FOR ANALYTES NOT ADDRESSED BY 40 CFR PART 136.

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PARAMETER	MAXIMUM DAILY VALUE		AVERAGE DAILY VALUE		
	VALUE	UNITS	VALUE	UNITS	NO. OF SAMPLES
pH (Minimum)	6.97	S.U.	7.27	S.U.	148
pH (Maximum)	7.82	S.U.	7.59	S.U.	148
FLOW RATE	10.9	MGD	1.6	MGD	365
TEMPERATURE (Winter)	15	°C	12	°C	36
TEMPERATURE (Summer)	25	°C	24	°C	38

\*For pH report a minimum and a maximum daily value.

POLLUTANT	MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE		AVERAGE DAILY DISCHARGE			ANALYTICAL METHOD	ML/MDL
	CONC.	UNITS	CONC.	UNITS	NO. OF SAMPLES		

Conventional and Nonconventional Compounds

BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND (Report One)	BOD <sub>5</sub>	16	mg/L	5	mg/L	49	5210B	2.0
	CBOD <sub>5</sub>		mg/L		mg/L			
FECAL COLIFORM	6800	#/100 mL	6800	#/100 mL	1	SM-9222 D-97	2	
TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS (TSS)	37	mg/L	6	mg/L	143	2540D	0.1	
AMMONIA (AS N)	2.97	mg/L	0.066	mg/L	50	Lachat-10-107-06-1-K	0.05	
CHLORINE (TOTAL RESIDUAL, TRC)	0.08	mg/L	0.08	mg/L	1	SM-4500 CL G-00	0.04	
DISSOLVED OXYGEN	8.96	mg/L	6.93	mg/L	148	Hach HQ40d	0.01	
TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN (TKN)	<0.5	mg/L	<0.5	mg/L	1	Lachat -10-107-06-2-K	0.5	
NITRATE PLUS NITRITE NITROGEN	16.5	mg/L	16.5	mg/L	1	SM-4110B-00	0.04	
OIL AND GREASE	<5	mg/L	<5	mg/L	11	EPA-1664A	5	
PHOSPHORUS (TOTAL)	2.84	mg/L	2.84	mg/L	1	SM20 4500-P E-99	0.03	
TOTAL DISSOLVE SOLIDS (TDS)	458	mg/L	458	mg/L	1	SM-2540 C-97	10	
OTHER		mg/L		mg/L				

**END OF PART B**

**PART C - CERTIFICATION**

**30. CERTIFICATION**

All applicants must complete the Certification Section. This certification must be signed by an officer of the company or city official. All applicants must complete all applicable sections as explained in the Application Overview. By signing this certification statement, applicants confirm that they have reviewed the entire form and have completed all sections that apply to the facility for which this application is submitted.

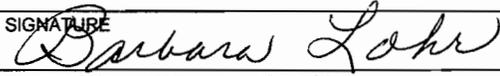
**ALL APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATION.**

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

PRINTED NAME AND OFFICIAL TITLE (MUST BE AN OFFICER OF THE COMPANY OR CITY OFFICIAL)

Mayor Barbara Lohr

SIGNATURE



TELEPHONE NUMBER WITH AREA CODE

573-243-3568

DATE SIGNED

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Upon request of the permitting authority, you must submit any other information necessary to assess wastewater treatment practices at the treatment works or identify appropriate permitting requirements.

For Design Flows Less than 1 Million Gallons Per Day,  
Send Completed Form to:

**Appropriate Regional Office**

Map of regional offices with addresses and phone numbers is available on the Web at [www.dnr.mo.gov/regions/ro-map.pdf](http://www.dnr.mo.gov/regions/ro-map.pdf).

For Design Flows of 1 Million Gallons Per Day or Greater,  
Send Completed Form to:

Department of Natural Resources  
Water Protection Program  
ATTN: NPDES Permits and Engineering Section  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

**END OF PART C.**

**REFER TO THE APPLICATION OVERVIEW TO DETERMINE WHICH OTHER PARTS OF FORM B2 YOU MUST COMPLETE.**

Do not complete the remainder of this application, unless:

1. Your facility design flow is equal to or greater than 1,000,000 gallons per day.
2. Your facility is a pretreatment treatment works.
3. Your facility is a combined sewer system.

Submittal of an incomplete application may result in the application being returned. Permit fees for returned applications shall be forfeited. Permit fees for applications being processed by the department that are withdrawn by the applicant shall be forfeited.

**MAKE ADDITIONAL COPIES OF THIS FORM FOR EACH OUTFALL.**

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**PART D – EXPANDED EFFLUENT TESTING DATA**

**40. EXPANDED EFFLUENT TESTING DATA**

Refer to the supplemental application information to determine whether Part D applies to the treatment works.

40.1 EFFLUENT TESTING: IF THE TREATMENT WORKS HAS A DESIGN FLOW GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 1 MILLION GALLONS PER DAY OR IT HAS (OR IS REQUIRED TO HAVE) A PRETREATMENT PROGRAM, OR IS OTHERWISE REQUIRED BY THE PERMITTING AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE THE DATA, THEN PROVIDE EFFLUENT TESTING DATA FOR THE FOLLOWING POLLUTANTS. PROVIDE THE INDICATED EFFLUENT TESTING INFORMATION FOR EACH OUTFALL THROUGH WHICH EFFLUENT IS DISCHARGED. DO NOT INCLUDE INFORMATION ON COMBINED SEWER OVERFLOWS IN THIS SECTION. ALL INFORMATION REPORTED MUST BE BASED ON DATA COLLECTED THROUGH ANALYSIS CONDUCTED USING 40 CFR PART 136 METHODS. IN ADDITION, THIS DATA MUST COMPLY WITH QA/QC REQUIREMENTS OF 40 CFR PART 136 AND OTHER APPROPRIATE QA/QC REQUIREMENTS FOR STANDARD METHODS FOR ANALYTES NOT ADDRESSED BY 40 CFR PART 136. INDICATE IN THE BLANK ROWS PROVIDED BELOW ANY DATA YOU MAY HAVE ON POLLUTANTS NOT SPECIFICALLY LISTED IN THIS FORM. EFFLUENT TESTING MUST NOT BE MORE THAN FOUR AND ONE-HALF YEARS OLD.

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POLLUTANT	MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE				AVERAGE DAILY DISCHARGE					ANALYTICAL METHOD	ML/MDL	
	CONC	UNITS	MASS	UNITS	CONC	UNITS	MASS	UNITS	NO. OF SAMPLES			
<b>METALS (TOTAL RECOVERABLE), CYANIDE, PHENOLS AND HARDNESS</b>												
ANTIMONY	<0.01	mg/l			<0.01	mg/l				1	EPA200.7 Rev4.4	0.01
ARSENIC	<0.015	mg/l			<0.015	mg/l				1	EPA200.7 Rev4.4	0.015
BERYLLIUM	<0.001	mg/l			<0.001	mg/l				1	EPA200.7 Rev4.4	0.001
CADMIUM	<0.003	mg/l			<0.003	mg/l				13	SM3111B-99	0.003
CHROMIUM	<0.005	mg/l			<0.005	mg/l				13	SM3111B-99	0.005
COPPER	0.043	mg/l	0.663	lb/d	0.012	mg/l	0.012	lb/d		36	SM3111B-99	0.002
LEAD	0.012	mg/l	0.185	lb/d	0.003	mg/l	0.046	lb/d		32	EPA-200.8	0.005
MERCURY	<0.0002	mg/l			<0.000	mg/l				1	SM3112B-99	0.0002
NICKEL	0.047	mg/l	0.725	lb/d	0.022	mg/l	0.339	lb/d		32	SM3111B-99	0.01
SELENIUM	<0.01	mg/l			<0.01	mg/l				1	EPA200.7 Rev4.4	0.01
SILVER	0.0019	mg/l	0.029	lb/d	<0.002	mg/l	0.029	lb/d		32	EPA-200.8	0.002
THALLIUM	<0.02	mg/l			<0.02	mg/l				1	EPA200.7 Rev4.4	0.02
ZINC	0.249	mg/l	3.8	lb/d	0.099	mg/l	1.527	lb/d		32	EPA-200.8	0.003
CYANIDE	<0.005	mg/l			<0.005	mg/l				13	Lachat CN2, SM-4500	0.005
TOTAL PHENOLIC COMPOUNDS	<0.05	mg/l			<0.05	mg/l				1	EPA420.1	0.05
HARDNESS (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	456	mg/l	7036	lb/d	291	mg/l	4490	lb/d		36	SM2340B97	0.1

USE THIS SPACE (OR A SEPARATE SHEET) TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON OTHER METALS REQUESTED BY THE PERMIT WRITER.


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**40.1 EXPANDED EFFLUENT TESTING DATA (CONTINUED)**

Complete Once for Each Outfall Discharging Effluent to Waters of the State.

POLLUTANT	MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE				AVERAGE DAILY DISCHARGE					ANALYTICAL METHOD	ML/MDL
	CONC	UNITS	MASS	UNITS	CONC	UNITS	MASS	UNITS	NO. OF SAMPLES		
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS											
ACROLEIN	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.1
ACRYLONITRILE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.1
BENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
BROMOFORM	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
CARBON TETRACHLORIDE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
CHLOROBENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
CHLORODIBROMOMETHANE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.005
CHLOROETHANE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.01
2-CHLOROETHYL VINYL ETHER	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.01
CHLOROFORM	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.01
DICHLOROBROMOMETHANE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.005
1,1-DICHLOROETHANE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
1,2-DICHLOROETHANE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
TRANS-1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.005
1,1-DICHLOROETHYLENE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.005
1,2-DICHLOROPROPANE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
1,3-DICHLOROPROPYLENE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.005
ETHYLBENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
METHYL BROMIDE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.01
METHYL CHLORIDE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.005
METHYLENE CHLORIDE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.005
1,1,2,2-TETRACHLOROETHANE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
TETRACHLOROETHANE	ND	mg/l							1	424	0.005
TOLUENE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
3,4-BENZOFLUORANTHENE	ND	mg/l							1	625	0.01
BENZO(GH)PHERYLENE	ND	mg/l							1	625	0.01
BENZO(K)FLUORANTHENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01

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**PART D – EXPANDED EFFLUENT TESTING DATA (CONTINUED)**

**40.1 EXPANDED EFFLUENT TESTING DATA (CONTINUED)**

Complete Once for Each Outfall Discharging Effluent to Waters of the State.

POLLUTANT	MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE				AVERAGE DAILY DISCHARGE					ANALYTICAL METHOD	ML/MDL
	CONC	UNITS	MASS	UNITS	CONC	UNITS	MASS	UNITS	NO. OF SAMPLES		
BIS (2-CHLOROTHOXY) METHANE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
BIS (2-CHLOROETHYL) – ETHER	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
BIS (2-ETHYLHEXYL) PHTHALATE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
4-BROMOPHENYL PHENYL ETHER	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
BUTYL BENZYL PHTHALATE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
2-CHLORONAPHTHALENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
4-CHLORPHENYL PHENYL ETHER	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
CHRYSENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
DI-N-BUTYL PHTHALATE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
DEBENZO (A,H) ANTHRACENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
1,2-DICHLORO-BENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
1,3-DICHLORO-BENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
1,4-DICHLORO-BENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
3,3-DICHLORO-BENZIDINE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.05
DIETHYL PHTHALATE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
DIMETHYL PHTHALATE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
2,4-DINITRO-TOLUENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
2,6-DINITRO-TOLUENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
1,2-DIPHENYL-HYDRAZINE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
1,1,1-TRICHLORO-ETHANE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
1,1,2-TRICHLORO-ETHANE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.005
TRICHLORETHYLENE	ND	mg/l							1	624	0.005
VINYL CHLORIDE	ND	mg/l							4	624	0.01

USE THIS SPACE (OR A SEPARATE SHEET) TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON OTHER VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS REQUESTED BY THE PERMIT WRITER




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**40.1 EXPANDED EFFLUENT TESTING DATA (CONTINUED)**

POLLUTANT	MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE				AVERAGE DAILY DISCHARGE					ANALYTICAL METHOD	ML/MDL
	CONC	UNITS	MASS	UNITS	CONC	UNITS	MASS	UNITS	NO. OF SAMPLES		
<b>BASE-NEUTRAL COMPOUNDS</b>											
ACENAPHTHENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
ACENAPHTHYLENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
ANTHRACENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
BENZIDINE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.05
BENZO(A)ANTHRACENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
BENZO(A)PYRENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
FLUORANTHENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
FLUORENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
HEXACHLOROBENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
HEXACHLOROCYCLO-PENTADIENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
HEXACHLOROETHANE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
INDENO (1,2,3-CD) PYRENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
ISOPHORONE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
NAPHTHALENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
NITROBENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
N-NITROSODI-PROPYLAMINE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
N-NITROSODI-METHYLAMINE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
N-NITROSODI-PHENYLAMINE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
PHENANTHRENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
PYRENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01
1,2,4-TRICHLOROBENZENE	ND	mg/l							4	625	0.01

USE THIS SPACE (OR SEPARATE SHEET) TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON OTHER BASE-NEUTRAL COMPOUNDS REQUESTED BY THE PERMIT WRITER.


**END OF PART D**

**REFER TO THE APPLICATION OVERVIEW TO DETERMINE WHICH OTHER PARTS OF FORM B2 YOU MUST COMPLETE.**

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**PART E – TOXICITY TESTING DATA**

**50. TOXICITY TESTING DATA**

Refer to the Supplemental Application Information to determine whether Part E applies to the treatment works.

Publicly owned treatment works, or POTWS, meeting one or more of the following criteria must provide the results of whole effluent toxicity tests for acute or chronic toxicity for each of the facility's discharge points.

- A. POTWS with a design flow rate greater than or equal to 1 million gallons per day.
- B. POTWS with a pretreatment program (or those that are required to have one under 40 CFR Part 403).
- C. POTWS required by the permitting authority to submit data for these parameters
  - ◆ At a minimum, these results must include quarterly testing for a 12-month period within the past one year using multiple species (minimum of two species), or the results from four tests performed at least annually in the four and one-half years prior to the application, provided the results show no appreciable toxicity, and testing for acute or chronic toxicity, depending on the range of receiving water dilution. Do not include information about combined sewer overflows in this section. All information reported must be based on data collected through analysis conducted using 40 CFR Part 136 methods. In addition, this data must comply with QA/QC requirements of 40 CFR Part 136 and other appropriate QA/QC requirements for standard methods for analytes not addressed by 40 CFR Part 136.
  - ◆ If EPA methods were not used, report the reason for using alternative methods. If test summaries are available that contain all of the information requested below, they may be submitted in place of Part E. If no biomonitoring data is required, do not complete Part E. Refer to the application overview for directions on which other sections of the form to complete.

50.1 REQUIRED TESTS. INDICATE THE NUMBER OF WHOLE EFFLUENT TOXICITY TESTS CONDUCTED IN THE PAST FOUR AND ONE-HALF YEARS.

CHRONIC 0	ACUTE 7
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INDIVIDUAL TEST DATA. Complete the following chart for the last three whole effluent toxicity tests. Allow one column per test (where each species constitutes a test). Copy this page if more than three tests are being reported.

	MOST RECENT	2 <sup>ND</sup> MOST RECENT	3 <sup>RD</sup> MOST RECENT
<b>A. TEST INFORMATION</b>			
TEST NUMBER	1611203	1610327	1609409
TEST SPECIES AND TEST METHOD NUMBER	C. Dubia, P. Promelas, EPA600/4-90/027	C. Dubia, P. Promelas, EPA600/4-90/027	C. Dubia, P. Promelas, EPA600/4-90/027
AGE AT INITIATION OF TEST	<24 hrs, 6 days	<24 hrs, 6 days	<24 hrs, 8 days
OUTFALL NUMBER	1	1	1
DATES SAMPLE COLLECTED	10/1-10/2/2013	9/17-9/18/2013	9/3-9/4/2013
DATE TEST STARTED	10/2/2013	9/18/2013	9/4/2013
DURATION	48 hr	48 hr	48 hr
<b>B. GIVE TOXICITY TEST METHODS FOLLOWED</b>			
MANUAL TITLE	US EPA 600/4-90/027	US EPA 600/4-90/027	US EPA 600/4-90/027
EDITION NUMBER AND YEAR OF PUBLICATION	5th Ed. Oct. 2002	5th Ed. Oct. 2002	5th Ed. Oct. 2002
PAGE NUMBER(S)			
<b>C. GIVE THE SAMPLE COLLECTION METHOD(S) USED. FOR MULTIPLE GRAB SAMPLES, INDICATE THE NUMBER OF GRAB SAMPLES USED.</b>			
24-HOUR COMPOSITE	x	x	x
GRAB			
<b>D. INDICATE WHERE THE SAMPLE WAS TAKEN IN RELATION TO DISINFECTION. (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY FOR EACH)</b>			
BEFORE DISINFECTION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
AFTER DISINFECTION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
AFTER DECHLORINATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E. DESCRIBE THE POINT IN THE TREATMENT PROCESS AT WHICH THE SAMPLE WAS COLLECTED</b>			
SAMPLE WAS COLLECTED	Effluent Flume	Effluent Flume	Effluent Flume
<b>F. FOR EACH TEST, INCLUDE WHETHER THE TEST WAS INTENDED TO ASSESS CHRONIC TOXICITY, ACUTE TOXICITY OR BOTH.</b>			
CHRONIC TOXICITY	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ACUTE TOXICITY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>G. PROVIDE THE TYPE OF TEST PERFORMED</b>			
STATIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
STATIC STATIC-RENEWAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
FLOW-THROUGH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>H. SOURCE OF DILUTION WATER. IF LABORATORY WATER, SPECIFY TYPE; IF RECEIVING WATER, SPECIFY SOURCE</b>			
LABORATORY WATER			
RECEIVING WATER	Upstream Goose Creek	Upstream Goose Creek	Upstream Goose Creek

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**PART E – TOXICITY TESTING DATA (CONTINUED)**

**50.1 WHOLE EFFLUENT TOXICITY TESTS DATA (CONTINUED)**

	MOST RECENT	2 <sup>ND</sup> MOST RECENT	3 <sup>RD</sup> MOST RECENT
I. TYPE OF DILUTION WATER, IF SALT WATER, SPECIFY "NATURAL" OR TYPE OF ARTIFICIAL SEA SALTS OR BRINE USED.			
FRESH WATER	x	x	x
SALT WATER			

J. GIVE THE PERCENTAGE EFFLUENT USED FOR ALL CONCENTRATIONS IN THE TEST SERIES.

	100,50,25,12.5,6.25	100,50,25,12.5,6.25	100,50,25,12.5,6.25
0 hr	100,50,25,12.5,6.25	100,50,25,12.5,6.25	100,50,25,12.5,6.25
24hr	100,50,25,12.5,6.25	100,50,25,12.5,6.25	100,50,25,12.5,6.25
48hr	100,50,25,12.5,6.25	100,50,25,12.5,6.25	100,50,25,12.5,6.25

K. PARAMETERS MEASURED DURING THE TEST. (STATE WHETHER PARAMETER MEETS TEST METHOD SPECIFICATIONS)

pH	yes	yes	yes
SALINITY	yes	yes	yes
TEMPERATURE	yes	yes	yes
AMMONIA	yes	yes	yes
DISSOLVED OXYGEN	yes	yes	yes

L. TEST RESULTS

ACUTE:

PERCENT IN SURVIVAL IN 100% EFFLUENT	100	100	100
LC <sub>50</sub>	100	100	100
95% C.I.	100	100	100
CONTROL PERCENT SURVIVAL	100	100	100
OTHER (DESCRIBE)			

CHRONIC:

NOEC			
IC <sub>25</sub>			
CONTROL PERCENT SURVIVAL			
OTHER (DESCRIBE)			

M. QUALITY CONTROL ASSURANCE

IS REFERENCE TOXICANT DATA AVAILABLE?	yes	yes	yes
WAS REFERENCE TOXICANT TEST WITHIN ACCEPTABLE BOUNDS?	yes	yes	yes
WHAT DATE WAS REFERENCED TOXICANT TEST RUN (MM/DD/YYYY)?	10/02/13	9/4/13	9/4/13
OTHER (DESCRIBE)			

50.2 TOXICITY REDUCTION EVALUATION

Is the treatment works involved in a toxicity reduction evaluation?  Yes  No  
If yes, describe:

50.3 SUMMARY OF SUBMITTED BIOMONITORING TEST INFORMATION

If you have submitted biomonitoring test information, or information regarding the cause of toxicity, within the past four and one-half years, provide the dates the information was submitted to the permitting authority and a summary of the results.

Date Submitted (MM/DD/YYYY)

Summary of Results (See Instructions)

**END OF PART E**

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<b>PART F – INDUSTRIAL USER DISCHARGES AND RCRA/CERCLA WASTES</b>			
<b>60. INDUSTRIAL USER DISCHARGES AND RCRA/CERCLA WASTES</b>			
Refer to the Supplemental Application Information to determine whether Part F applies to the treatment works.			
All treatment works receiving discharges from significant industrial users or which receive RCRA, CERCLA, or other remedial wastes must complete this form.			
<b>GENERAL INFORMATION</b>			
<b>60.1 PRETREATMENT PROGRAM</b>			
Does the treatment works have, or is it subject to, an approved pretreatment program? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
<b>60.2 NUMBER OF NON-CATEGORICAL SIGNIFICANT INDUSTRIAL USERS, or SIUs AND CATEGORICAL INDUSTRIAL USERS, or CIUs. PROVIDE THE NUMBER OF EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF INDUSTRIAL USERS THAT DISCHARGE TO THE TREATMENT WORKS.</b>			
A. Number of Non-Categorical SIUs 0	B. Number of CIUs 2		
<b>60.3 SIGNIFICANT INDUSTRIAL USER INFORMATION</b>			
Supply the following information for each SIU. If more than one SIU discharges to the treatment works, provide the information requested for each. Submit additional pages as necessary.			
NAME Farrow Fabricating			
MAILING ADDRESS 506 S. Georgia		CITY Jackson	STATE MO
		ZIP 63755	
<b>60.4 INDUSTRIAL PROCESSES</b>			
DESCRIBE ALL OF THE INDUSTRIAL PROCESSES THAT AFFECT OR CONTRIBUTE TO THE SIU's DISCHARGE. Cut, shape, polish steel and stainless steel tubing, electroplate with Ni and Cr.			
<b>60.5 PRINCIPAL PRODUCT(S) AND RAW MATERIAL (S)</b>			
Describe all of the principle processes and raw materials that affect or contribute to the SIU's discharge.			
PRINCIPAL PRODUCT(S) Chromed steel and stainless tail pipe extensions			
RAW MATERIAL(S) Steel/stainless tubing, Ni, Cr			
<b>60.6 FLOW RATE</b>			
A. PROCESS WASTEWATER FLOW RATE. Indicate the average daily volume of process wastewater discharged into the collection system in gallons per day, or gpd, and whether the discharge is continuous or intermittent. 2,082 gpd <input type="checkbox"/> Continuous <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intermittent			
B. NON-PROCESS WASTEWATER FLOW RATE. Indicate the average daily volume of non-process wastewater discharged into the collection system in gallons per day, or gpd, and whether the discharge is continuous or intermittent.			
C. 450 gpd <input type="checkbox"/> Continuous <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intermittent			
<b>60.7 PRETREATMENT STANDARDS</b>			
Indicate whether the SIU is subject to the following			
A. Local Limits	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
B. Categorical Pretreatment Standards	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
If subject to categorical pretreatment standards, which category and subcategory? 40 CFR Ch. 1 Part 433, Metal Finishing			
<b>60.8 PROBLEMS AT THE TREATMENT WORKS ATTRIBUTED TO WASTE DISCHARGED BY THE SIU</b>			
Has the SIU caused or contributed to any problems (e.g., upsets, interference) at the treatment works in the past three years? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No      If Yes, describe each episode			

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**PART F – INDUSTRIAL USER DISCHARGES AND RCRA/CERCLA WASTES (CONTINUED)**

**60.9 RCRA HAZARDOUS WASTE RECEIVED BY TRUCK, RAIL, OR DEDICATED PIPELINE**

RCRA WASTE. Does the treatment works receive or has it in the past three years received RCRA hazardous waste by truck, rail or dedicated pipe?  
 Yes       No

WASTE TRANSPORT. Method by which RCRA waste is received. (Check all that apply)  
 Truck       Rail       Dedicated Pipe

WASTE DESCRIPTION. Give EPA hazardous waste number and amount (volume or mass, specify units).

EPA HAZARDOUS WASTE NUMBER	AMOUNT	UNITS

**60.10 CERCLA, OR SUPERFUND, WASTEWATER, RCRA REMEDIATION/CORRECTIVE ACTION WASTEWATER AND OTHER REMEDIAL ACTIVITY WASTEWATER**

REMEDIAL WASTE. Does the treatment works currently (or has it been notified that it will) receive waste from remedial activities?  
 Yes       No      Provide a list of sites and the requested information for each current and future site.

**60.11 WASTE ORIGIN**

Describe the site and type of facility at which the CERCLA/RCRA/or other remedial waste originates (or is expected to originate in the next five years).

**60.12 POLLUTANTS**

List the hazardous constituents that are received (or are expected to be received). Included data on volume and concentration, if known. (Attach additional sheets if necessary)

**60.13 WASTE TREATMENT**

A. Is this waste treated (or will it be treated) prior to entering the treatment works?  
 Yes       No  
 If Yes, describe the treatment (provide information about the removal efficiency):

B. Is the discharge (or will the discharge be) continuous or intermittent?  
 Continuous       Intermittent  
 If intermittent, describe the discharge schedule:

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**PART G – COMBINED SEWER SYSTEMS**

**70. COMBINED SEWER SYSTEMS (COMPLETE THIS PART IF THE TREATMENT WORKS HAS A COMBINED SEWER SYSTEM.)**

Refer to the Supplemental Application Information to determine whether Part G applies to the treatment works.

**70.1 SYSTEM MAP**

Provide a map indicating the following: (May be included with basic application information.)

- A. All CSO Discharges.
- B. Sensitive Use Areas Potentially Affected by CSOs. (e.g., beaches, drinking water supplies, shellfish beds, sensitive aquatic ecosystems and Outstanding Natural Resource Waters.)
- C. Waters that Support Threatened and Endangered Species Potentially Affected by CSOs.

**70.2 SYSTEM DIAGRAM**

Provide a diagram, either in the map provided above or on a separate drawing, of the Combined Sewer Collection System that includes the following information:

- A. Locations of Major Sewer Trunk Lines, Both Combined and Separate Sanitary.
- B. Locations of Points where Separate Sanitary Sewers Feed into the Combined Sewer System.
- C. Locations of In-Line or Off-Line Storage Structures.
- D. Locations of Flow-Regulating Devices.
- E. Locations of Pump Stations.

**70.3 PERCENT OF COLLECTION SYSTEM THAT IS COMBINED SEWER**

**70.4 POPULATION SERVED BY COMBINED SEWER COLLECTION SYSTEM**

**70.5 NAME OF ANY SATELLITE COMMUNITY WITH COMBINED SEWER COLLECTION SYSTEM**

**70.6 CSO OUTFALLS. COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING ONCE FOR EACH CSO DISCHARGE POINT**

**70.7 DESCRIPTION OF OUTFALL**

A. Outfall Number

B. Location

C. Distance from Shore (if applicable)  
\_\_\_\_\_ ft

D. Depth Below Surface (if applicable)  
\_\_\_\_\_ ft

E. Which of the following were monitored during the last year for this CSO?

- Rainfall     CSO Pollutant Concentrations     CSO     CSO Flow Volume     Receiving Water Quality

F. How many storm events were monitored last year?

**70.8 CSO EVENTS**

A. Give the Number of CSO Events in the Last Year  
\_\_\_\_\_ Events     Actual     Approximate

B. Give the Average Duration Per CSO Event  
\_\_\_\_\_ Hours     Actual     Approximate

C. Give the Average Volume Per CSO Event  
\_\_\_\_\_ Million Gallons     Actual     Approximate

D. GIVE THE MINIMUM RAINFALL THAT CAUSED A CSO EVENT IN THE LAST YEAR \_\_\_\_\_ INCHES OF RAINFALL

**70.9 DESCRIPTION OF RECEIVING WATERS**

A. Name of Receiving Water

B. Name of Watershed/River/Stream System

U.S. Soil Conservation Service 14-Digit Watershed Code (If Known)

Name of State Management/River Basin

U.S. Geological Survey 8- Digit Hydrologic Cataloging Unit Code (If Known)

**70.10 CSO OPERATIONS**

Describe any known water quality impacts on the receiving water caused by this CSO (e.g., permanent or intermittent beach closings, permanent or intermittent shellfish bed closings, fish kills, fish advisories, other recreational loss, or violation of any applicable state water quality standard.)

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The following pages provide additional information for Form B2 including answers to questions where there was insufficient space or the format of our answer was different than the space provided.

**Part A, Question 2.1. Legal Description (Plant Site):**

US Survey 220, NE ¼, SE ¼, T31N, R12E, Cape Girardeau County

**2.2** UTM Coordinates Easting(X): +3221423 Northing(Y): -08940436

**Part A, Question 7.2**

The following maps are attached:

- Area surrounding treatment plant including all unit processes including sludge storage and treatment processes.
- Area surrounding treatment plant with collection system pipes leading to plant, one mile radius indicated, no known wells within ¼ mile of facility, water bodies shown include Hubble Creek and Goose Creek, discharge point on Goose Creek is indicated.
- Map showing downstream landowner from Cape Girardeau County Tax Maps.
- Topographical map showing one mile radius around treatment plant and location of discharge.

**Part A, Question 7.14. List all permit violations, including effluent limit exceedances in the last five years.**

Notice of Violation 19329SE, received October 18, 2013 for a sanitary sewer overflow that was the result of a force main break which impacted Ramsey Branch.

**Part B, Question 20. Briefly explain any steps underway or planned to minimize inflow and infiltration.**

The City budgets for repairs to the collection system every year. In the past 4 years the City has installed 1,568 linear feet of Cast in Place Pipe (CIPP) fiberglass lining in 6 sections of 8-inch vitrified clay pipe. Thirty seven manholes have been repaired with various repair methods including 227 linear feet of cementitious lining. The City has also placed 47 manhole rain caps in manholes located in low lying areas to prevent infiltration through the lids. Efforts will continue each year to repair sections of the collection system known to allow I&I.

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**Part B, Question 20.2. Scheduled Improvements and Schedules of Implementation.**

An Ultraviolet (UV) Disinfection addition, including an effluent pumping station is currently under construction at the Jackson Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant. Wastewater effluent will be disinfected during the recreational season, beginning April, 2014 as required by our discharge permit. The disinfection addition includes an effluent pumping station capable of discharging peak flows of up to 10 MGD.

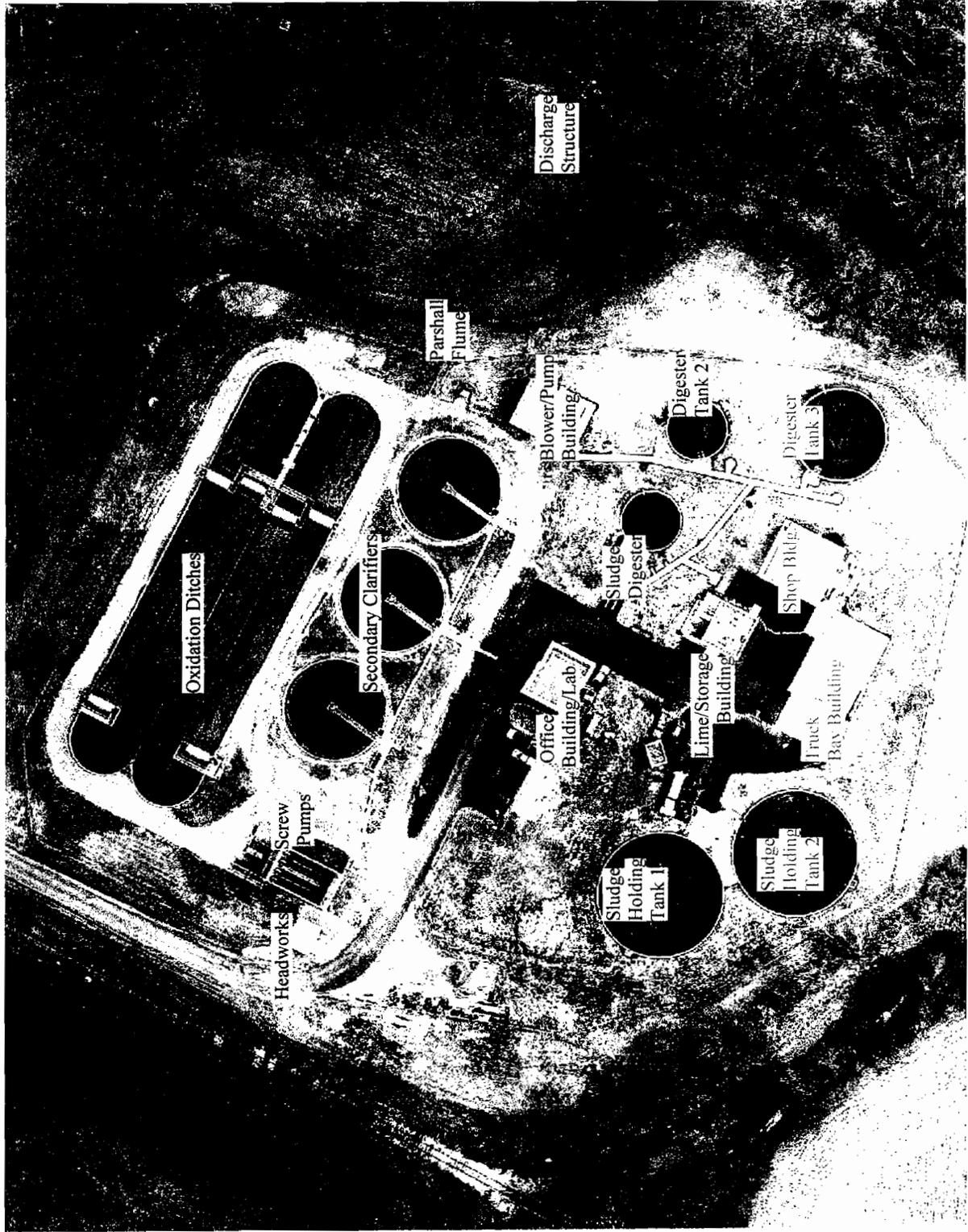
The City of Jackson is currently under a Schedule of Compliance for implementation of copper effluent limits. Reports and studies submitted to MDNR over the past 2 years including receiving stream studies and streamlined Water Effect Ratio (WER) testing indicate that the effluent limits for copper may be altered or eliminated. The City Drinking Water Treatment Facility is currently performing copper corrosivity testing in the distribution system to determine if additional potable water treatment process adjustments would be beneficial. The targeted date for final regulatory review of this Schedule of Compliance is March 21, 2014.

**Part B, Question 20.4. Description of Outfall.**

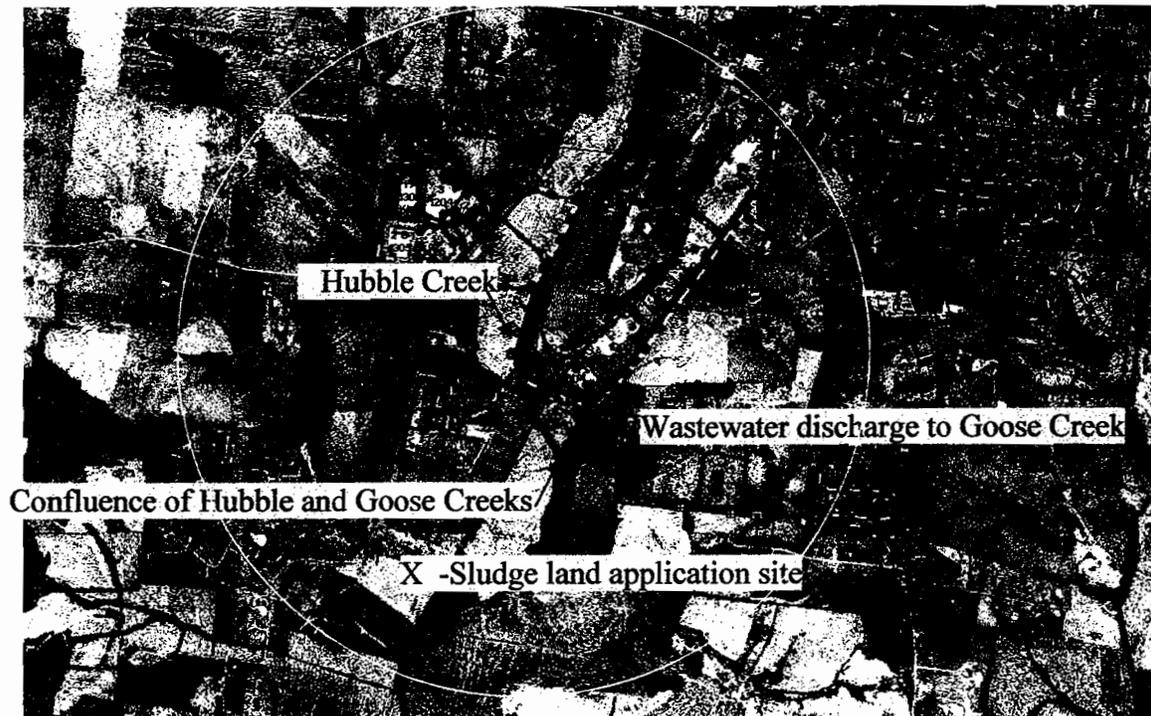
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**A: Location:** US Survey 220, NE ¼, SE ¼, T31N, R12E, Cape Girardeau County  
UTM Coordinates Easting(X): +3221423 Northing(Y): -08940436

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7.2.a. Area Surrounding treatment plant, including all unit processes.



Jackson Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant  
View of area around treatment facility.



No known wells within  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile of treatment plant.

One mile radius shown.

Water bodies include Hubble Creek and Goose Creek as shown.

All wastewater collection system shown.

One sludge disposal area shown within 1 mile of plant.



## Downstream Landowner

*Paul W. & Eileen D. Meier Trust*

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