

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, 92nd Congress) as amended,

Permit No. MO-0105589

Owner: Franklin County Public Water & Sewer District #3 (FCPWS D #3)
Address: 150 Old Highway 100, Villa Ridge, MO 63089

Continuing Authority: Same as above
Address: Same as above

Facility Name: FCPWS D #3, Woodridge Farms Subdivision WWTF
Facility Address: 150 Old Highway 100, Villa Ridge, MO 63089

Legal Description: NE ¼, SW ¼, NE ¼, Sec. 23, T43N, R1E, Franklin County
UTM Coordinates: X= 685251, Y= 4258614

Receiving Stream: Unnamed tributary of Pin Oak Creek (U)
First Classified Stream and ID: Bourbeuse River (P) (2034)
USGS Basin & Sub-watershed No.: (07140103-0405)

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

FACILITY DESCRIPTION

Outfall #001 – POTW – SIC #4952
Extended aeration/aerated sludge holding tank/sludge disposal is by contract hauler.
Design population equivalent is 144.
Design flow is 14,400 gallons per day.
Actual flow is 5,300 gallons per day.
Design sludge production is 2.59 dry tons/year.

This permit authorizes only wastewater 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.

July 1, 2013
Effective Date

Sara Parker Pauley, Director, Department of Natural Resources

June 30, 2015
Expiration Date

John Madras, Director, Water Protection Program

OUTFALL #001	TABLE A-1. INTERIM EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS			PAGE NUMBER 2 of 7		
				PERMIT NUMBER MO-0105589		
The permittee is authorized to discharge from outfall(s) with serial number(s) as specified in the application for this permit. The interim effluent limitations shall become effective upon issuance and remain in effect through December 31, 2013 . Such discharges shall be controlled, limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:						
EFFLUENT PARAMETER(S)	UNITS	INTERIM EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS			MONITORING REQUIREMENTS	
		DAILY MAXIMUM	WEEKLY AVERAGE	MONTHLY AVERAGE	MEASUREMENT FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Flow	MGD	*		*	once/quarter****	24 hr. estimate
Biochemical Oxygen Demand ₅	mg/L		45	30	once/quarter****	composite**
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L		45	30	once/quarter****	composite**
<i>E. coli</i> (Note 1, Page 4)	#/100 ml		*	*	once/quarter****	grab
pH – Units	SU	***		***	once/quarter****	grab
Ammonia as N	mg/L	*		*	once/quarter****	grab
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>QUARTERLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>OCTOBER 28, 2013</u> . THERE SHALL BE NO DISCHARGE OF FLOATING SOLIDS OR VISIBLE FOAM IN OTHER THAN TRACE AMOUNTS.						

- * Monitoring requirement only.
- ** A composite sample made up from a minimum of four grab samples collected within a 24 hour period with a minimum of two hours between each grab sample.
- *** pH is measured in pH units and is not to be averaged. The pH is limited to the range of 6.5-9.0 pH units.
- **** See table below for quarterly sampling.

Minimum Sampling Requirements				
Quarter	Months	E. coli	All Other Parameters	Report is Due
First	January, February, March	Not required to sample.	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	April 28 th
Second	April, May, June	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	July 28 th
Third	July, August, September	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	October 28 th
Fourth	October, November, December	Sample once during October; no sample required in either November or December	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	January 28 th

OUTFALL #001	TABLE A-2. INTERIM EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS			PAGE NUMBER 3 of 7		
				PERMIT NUMBER MO-0105589		
The permittee is authorized to discharge from outfall(s) with serial number(s) as specified in the application for this permit. The interim effluent limitations shall become effective on January 1, 2014 and remain in effect through June 30, 2019 . Such discharges shall be controlled, limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:						
EFFLUENT PARAMETER(S)	UNITS	INTERIM EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS			MONITORING REQUIREMENTS	
		DAILY MAXIMUM	WEEKLY AVERAGE	MONTHLY AVERAGE	MEASUREMENT FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Flow	MGD	*		*	once/quarter****	24 hr. estimate
Biochemical Oxygen Demand ₅	mg/L		45	30	once/quarter****	composite**
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L		45	30	once/quarter****	composite**
<i>E. coli</i> (Note 1, Page 4)	#/100 ml		630	126	once/quarter****	grab
pH – Units	SU	***		***	once/quarter****	grab
Ammonia as N	mg/L	*		*	once/quarter****	grab
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>QUARTERLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>APRIL 28, 2014</u> . THERE SHALL BE NO DISCHARGE OF FLOATING SOLIDS OR VISIBLE FOAM IN OTHER THAN TRACE AMOUNTS.						

- * Monitoring requirement only.
- ** A composite sample made up from a minimum of four grab samples collected within a 24 hour period with a minimum of two hours between each grab sample.
- *** pH is measured in pH units and is not to be averaged. The pH is limited to the range of 6.5-9.0 pH units.
- **** See table below for quarterly sampling.

Minimum Sampling Requirements				
Quarter	Months	E. coli	All Other Parameters	Report is Due
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Third	July, August, September	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	October 28 th
Fourth	October, November, December	Sample once during October; no sample required in either November or December	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	January 28 th

OUTFALL #001	TABLE A-3. FINAL EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS	PAGE NUMBER 4 of 7
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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 **July 1, 2019**, 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
Flow	MGD	*		*	once/quarter*****	24 hr. estimate
Biochemical Oxygen Demand ₅	mg/L		45	30	once/quarter*****	composite**
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L		45	30	once/quarter*****	composite**
<i>E. coli</i> (Note 1, Page 4)	#/100 ml		630	126	once/quarter*****	grab
pH – Units	SU	***		***	once/quarter*****	grab
Ammonia as N (April 1 – Sept 30) (Oct 1 – March 31)	mg/L	3.6 *		1.4 *	once/quarter*****	grab

MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED QUARTERLY; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE OCTOBER 28, 2019. THERE SHALL BE NO DISCHARGE OF FLOATING SOLIDS OR VISIBLE FOAM IN OTHER THAN TRACE AMOUNTS.

- * Monitoring requirement only.
- ** A composite sample made up from a minimum of four grab samples collected within a 24 hour period with a minimum of two hours between each grab sample.
- *** pH is measured in pH units and is not to be averaged. The pH is limited to the range of 6.5-9.0 pH units.
- ***** See table below for quarterly sampling

Minimum Sampling Requirements				
Quarter	Months	<i>E. coli</i>	All Other Parameters	Report is Due
First	January, February, March	Not required to sample.	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	April 28 th
Second	April, May, June	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	July 28 th
Third	July, August, September	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	October 28 th
Fourth	October, November, December	Sample once during October; no sample required in either November or December	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	January 28 th

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).

TABLE B. INFLUENT MONITORING REQUIREMENTS		PAGE NUMBER 5 of 7	
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The facility is required to meet a removal efficiency of 85% or more as a monthly average. The monitoring requirements shall become effective upon issuance 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 ₅	mg/L	once/quarter*****	grab
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	once/quarter*****	grab
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>QUARTERLY</u> ; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>OCTOBER 28, 2013</u> .			

***** See table below for quarterly sampling.

Minimum Sampling Requirements			
Quarter	Months	Influent Parameters	Report is Due
First	January, February, March	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	April 28 th
Second	April, May, June	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	July 28 th
Third	July, August, September	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	October 28 th
Fourth	October, November, December	Sample at least once during any month of the quarter	January 28 th

C. STANDARD CONDITIONS

In addition to specified conditions stated herein, this permit is subject to the attached Parts I, II, & III standard conditions dated October 1, 1980, May 1, 2013, and August 15, 1994, and hereby incorporated as though fully set forth herein.

D. SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. 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.

The permit as modified or reissued under this paragraph shall also contain any other requirements of the Clean Water Act then applicable.

2. All outfalls must be clearly marked in the field.
3. 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.
4. Water Quality Standards
 - (a) 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.

D. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

- (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.

5. Changes in Discharges of Toxic Substances

The permittee shall notify the Director as soon as it knows or has reason to believe:

- (a) That any activity has occurred or will occur which would result in the discharge of any toxic pollutant which is not limited in the permit, if that discharge will exceed the highest of the following "notification levels:"
- (1) One hundred micrograms per liter (100 µg/L);
 - (2) Two hundred micrograms per liter (200 µg/L) for acrolein and acrylonitrile; five hundred micrograms per liter (500 µg/L) for 2,5 dinitrophenol and for 2-methyl-4, 6-dinitrophenol; and one milligram per liter (1 mg/L) for antimony;
 - (3) Five (5) times the maximum concentration value reported for the pollutant in the permit application;
 - (4) The level established by the Director in accordance with 40 CFR 122.44(f).
- (b) That they have begun or expect to begin to use or manufacture as an intermediate or final product or byproduct any toxic pollutant, which was not reported in the permit application.

6. Report as no-discharge when a discharge does not occur during the report period.

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

8. 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.

9. The permittee shall submit a report annually in January to the St. Louis Regional Office with the Discharge and Monitoring reports which address measures taken to locate and eliminate sources of infiltration and inflow into the collection system serving the facility for the previous year.

10. Bypasses are not authorized at this facility and are subject to 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 St. Louis Regional Office.

11. The facility must be sufficiently secured to restrict entry by children, livestock and unauthorized persons as well as to protect the facility from vandalism.

D. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

12. A 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.
13. 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.
14. 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.
15. An all-weather access road shall be provided to the treatment facility.
16. 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.

E. SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE

1. The facility shall attain compliance with final effluent limitations for *E. coli* as soon as reasonably achievable or no later than **December 31, 2013**.
2. The facility shall attain compliance with final effluent limitations for Ammonia as N as soon as reasonably achievable or no later than **6 years** of the effective date of this permit.
 - a) Within six months of the effective date of this permit, the permittee shall report progress made in attaining compliance with the final effluent limits.
 - b) The permittee shall submit interim progress reports detailing progress made in attaining compliance with the final effluent limits every 12 months from issuance date.
 - c) Within **6 years** of the effective date of this permit, the permittee shall attain compliance with the final effluent limits, for Ammonia as N.

Please submit progress reports to the Missouri Department of Natural Resources, St. Louis Regional Office, 7545 S. Lindbergh, Ste 210, St. Louis, Missouri, 63125.

**MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
FACT SHEET
FOR THE PURPOSE OF RENEWAL
OF
MO-0105589
FRANKLIN COUNTY PWSD #3**

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 storm water 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 Minor

Part I – Facility Information

Facility Type: POTW - SIC #4952

Facility Description:

Extended aeration/aerated sludge holding tank/sludge disposal is by contract hauler.

Have any changes occurred at this facility or in the receiving water body that effects effluent limit derivation?

- No.

Application Date: 12/06/2012

Expiration Date: 06/26/2013

OUTFALL(S) TABLE:

OUTFALL	DESIGN FLOW (CFS)	TREATMENT LEVEL	EFFLUENT TYPE	DISTANCE TO CLASSIFIED SEGMENT (MI)
#001	.022	Secondary	Domestic	2.6

Receiving Water Body's Water Quality & Facility Performance History:

No Stream Survey information noted in databases. No inspection information noted in database.

Part II – Operator Certification Requirements

As per [10 CSR 20-6.010(8) Terms and Conditions of a Permit], permittees 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.

Operator’s Name: Terry McDaniel
 Certification Number: 5792
 Certification Level: A

Not Applicable ; This facility is not required to have a certified operator due to the small amount of flow and limited service connections. However, the permittee retains the operator noted above.

Part III– Operational Monitoring

As per [10 CSR 20-9.010(4)], the facility is not 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 1st 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(3)].

RECEIVING STREAM(S) TABLE:

WATER-BODY NAME	CLASS	WBID	DESIGNATED USES*	12-DIGIT HUC	EDU**
Unnamed Tributary to Pin Oak Creek	U	--	General Criteria	07140103-0405	Ozark/Meramec
Pin Oak Creek	U	--	General Criteria		
Bourbeuse River	P	2034	IRR, LWW, AQL, CLF, WBC(A), SCR, DWS		

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

** - Ecological Drainage Unit

RECEIVING STREAM(S) LOW-FLOW VALUES:

RECEIVING STREAM (U, C, P)	LOW-FLOW VALUES (CFS)		
	1Q10	7Q10	30Q10
Unnamed Tributary to Pin Oak Creek (U)	0	0	0

MIXING CONSIDERATIONS

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

RECEIVING STREAM MONITORING REQUIREMENTS:

No receiving water monitoring requirements recommended at this time.

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.

Not Applicable ; 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(c); 40 CFR Part 122.44(I)] that requires a reissued permit to be as stringent as the previous permit with some exceptions.

- All limits in this operating permit are at least as protective as those previously established; therefore, backsliding does not apply.

ANTIDegradation:

In accordance with Missouri's Water Quality Standard [10 CSR 20-7.031(2)], 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://dnr.mo.gov/env/wpp/pub/index.html>, items WQ422 through WQ449.

- Permittee is not authorized to land apply biosolids. Sludge/biosolids are removed by contract hauler, incinerated, stored in the lagoon, etc.

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.

Not Applicable ; The permittee/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.

Not Applicable ; The permittee, at this time, is not required to have a Pretreatment Program or does not have an approved pretreatment 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)(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.

Applicable ; A RPA was conducted on appropriate parameters. Please see **APPENDIX B– 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 (BOD₅) and Total Suspended Solids (TSS) for Publicly Owned Treatment Works (POTWs)/municipals.

Applicable ; 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 an untreated or partially treated sewage release are considered bypassing under state regulation [10 CSR 20-2.010(11)] and should not be confused with the federal definition of bypass. SSO's have a variety of causes including blockages, line breaks, and sewer defects that allow excess storm water and ground water to (1) enter and overload the collection system, and (2) overload the treatment facility. Additionally, SSO's can be also be caused by lapses in sewer system operation and maintenance, inadequate sewer design and construction, power failures, and vandalism. SSOs also include overflows out of manholes and onto city streets, sidewalks, and other terrestrial locations.

Additionally, Missouri RSMo §644.026.1 mandates that the Department require proper maintenance and operation of treatment facilities and sewer systems and proper disposal of residual waste from all such facilities.

- In accordance with Missouri RSMo §644.026.1.(15) and 40 CFR Part 122.41(e), the permittee is required to develop and/or implement a program for maintenance and repair of the collection system and shall be required in this operating permit by either means of a Special Condition or Schedule of Compliance. In addition, the Department considers the development of this program as an implementation of this condition. Additionally, 40 CFR Part 403.3(o) defines a POTW to include any device and systems used in the storage, treatment, recycling and reclamation of municipal sewage or industrial wastes of liquid nature. It also includes sewers, pipes, and other conveyances only if they convey wastewater to a POTW Treatment Plant.

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):

A schedule of remedial measures included in a permit, including 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.

Applicable : The time given for effluent limitations of this permit listed under Interim Effluent Limitation and Final Effluent Limitations were established in accordance with [10 CSR 20-7.031(10)]. The facility has been given a schedule of compliance to meet final effluent limits for *E. coli* and Ammonia as N. The facility may not be able to meet final effluent limitations and may require construction upgrades. The Department feels that the SOC granted in the permit provides sufficient time for the permittee to acquire necessary funding, submit any necessary applications and engineering design and specifications, and complete construction. If the permittee feels that a longer SOC is required, then the permittee must submit justification as to why more time is needed.

STORM WATER 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 storm water 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 Storm Water 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 storm water discharges.

Not Applicable : At this time, the permittee is not required to develop and implement a SWPPP.

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.

Not Applicable : 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.

Applicable : 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.

Not Applicable ; A WLA study was either not submitted or determined not applicable by Department staff.

WATER QUALITY STANDARDS:

Per [10 CSR 20-7.031(3)], 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.

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, which includes blending, 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 20-2.010(11) defines a bypass as the diversion of wastewater from any portion of wastewater treatment facility or sewer system 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.

Not Applicable ; 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

Not Applicable ; This facility does not discharge to a 303(d) listed stream.

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.

Not Applicable ; At this time, the permittee is not required to conduct WET test for this facility.

Part VI – 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 ₅	mg/L	1		45	30	No	
TSS	mg/L	1		45	30	No	
pH	SU	1	6.5-9.0		6.5-9.0	Yes	6.0-9.0
Ammonia as N (April 1 – Sept 30)	mg/L	2, 3, 5	3.6		1.4	Yes	*
Ammonia as N (Oct 1 – March 31)	mg/L	2, 3, 5	*		*	No	
Escherichia coli	***	1, 3		630	126	Yes	****

* - Monitoring requirement only.

** - For DO the Daily Maximum is a Daily Minimum and the Monthly Average is a Monthly Average Minimum.

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

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

Basis for Limitations Codes:

- 1. State or Federal Regulation/Law
- 2. Water Quality Standard (includes RPA)
- 3. Water Quality Based Effluent Limits
- 4. Lagoon Policy
- 5. Ammonia Policy
- 6. Antidegradation Review
- 7. Antidegradation Policy
- 8. Water Quality Model
- 9. Best Professional Judgment
- 10. TMDL or Permit in lieu of TMDL
- 11. WET Test 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 (BOD₅).**
 - Effluent limitations have been retained from previous state operating permit, please see the **APPLICABLE DESIGNATION OF WATERS OF THE STATE** sub-section of the **Receiving Stream Information.**
- **Total Suspended Solids (TSS).**
 - Effluent limitations have been retained from previous state operating permit, please see the **APPLICABLE DESIGNATION OF WATERS OF THE STATE** sub-section of the **Receiving Stream Information.**
- **pH.** Effluent limitation range is 6.5 – 9.0 Standard pH Units (SU), as per the applicable section of 10 CSR 20-7.015. pH is not to be averaged.
- **Total Ammonia Nitrogen.** Early Life Stages Present Total Ammonia Nitrogen criteria apply [10 CSR 20-7.031(4)(B)7.C. & Table B3] default pH 7.8 SU Background total ammonia nitrogen = 0.01 mg/L (Default). Due to lack of data, default summer multipliers used.

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: $C_e = ((.22 + 0.0)1.5 - (0.0 * 0.01))/.22$
 $C_e = 1.5 \text{ mg/L}$

Acute WLA: $C_e = ((.22 + 0.0)12.1 - (0.0 * 0.01))/.22$
 $C_e = 12.1 \text{ mg/L}$

$LTA_c = 1.5 \text{ mg/L} (0.780) = 1.17 \text{ mg/L}$
 $LTA_a = 12.1 \text{ mg/L} (0.321) = 3.89 \text{ mg/L}$

[CV = 0.6, 99th Percentile, 30 day avg.]
 [CV = 0.6, 99th Percentile]

Use most protective number of LTA_c or LTA_a.

$MDL = 1.17 \text{ mg/L} (3.11) = 3.6 \text{ mg/L}$
 $AML = 1.17 \text{ mg/L} (1.19) = 1.4 \text{ mg/L}$

[CV = 0.6, 99th Percentile]
 [CV = 0.6, 95th Percentile, n=30]

Winter: October 1 – March 31

Monitoring requirement only. Monitoring for Ammonia as N is included to verify that reasonable potential to exceed water quality standards does not exist.

- **Escherichia coli (E. coli).** Monthly average of 126 per 100 ml as a geometric mean and Weekly Average of 630 during the recreational season (April 1 – October 31), to protect Whole Body Contact Recreation (A) designated use of the receiving stream, as per 10 CSR 20-7.031(4)(C). Weekly Average effluent variability will be evaluated in development of a future effluent limit. An effluent limit for both monthly average and weekly average is required by 40 CFR 122.45(d).

Minimum Sampling and Reporting Frequency Requirements.

PARAMETER	SAMPLING FREQUENCY	REPORTING FREQUENCY
Flow	once/quarter	once/quarter
BOD ₅	once/quarter	once/quarter
TSS	once/quarter	once/quarter
pH	once/quarter	once/quarter
Ammonia as N	once/quarter	once/quarter
<i>E. coli</i>	once/quarter	once/quarter

Sampling Frequency Justification:

Previous Sampling and Reporting Frequencies were reevaluated and determined to be protective of water quality standards. Therefore sampling and reporting frequencies were retained from previous permit.

The Clean Water Commission has directed the Department to proceed with amending 10 CSR 20-7.015 to reduce the sampling frequency required for *E. coli* to a lesser frequency, still protective of water quality standards, for smaller facilities, including those with discharges of 100,000 gallons per day or less.

Sampling Type Justification

Previous sampling types were reevaluated and determined to be protective of water quality standards. Therefore previous sampling types were retained. Due to the small amount of flow, grab samples were deemed appropriate for *E. coli* standards.

Part VII – Finding of Affordability

Pursuant to Section 644.145, RSMo., the Department is required to determine whether a permit or decision is affordable and makes a finding of affordability for certain permitting and enforcement decisions. This requirement applies to discharges from combined or separate sanitary sewer systems or publically-owned treatment works.

Applicable; 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.**

Finding of affordability - 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 B– Affordability Analysis**

Part VIII – 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.

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 March 1 to April 1, 2013. No responses received.

DATE OF FACT SHEET: DECEMBER 26, 2012

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APPENDIX A– RPA RESULTS:

Parameter	CMC	RWC Acute	CCC	RWC Chronic	n	Max/Min	CV	MF	Reasonable Potential
Ammonia as Nitrogen (Summer)	12.1	1.86	1.5	1.86	9.00	0.58/0.01	0.60	3.20	YES
Ammonia as Nitrogen (Winter)	12.1	0.84	3.1	0.84	6.00	0.22/0.1	0.60	3.80	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 B – AFFORDABILITY ANALYSIS:

Missouri Department of Natural Resources
Water Protection Program
Affordability Determination and Finding
(In accordance with RSMo 644.145)

**Woodridge Farms Wastewater Treatment Facility
Franklin County Public Water and Sewer District
Renewal and Modification - Operating Permit #MO-0105589**

Section 644.145 RSMo requires 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 or publicly-owned treatment works.”

Description:

The Franklin County Public Water and Sewer District (FCPWSO) – Woodridge Farms Wastewater Treatment Facility (WWTF) is located at 150 Old Highway 100, Villa Ridge¹, MO. This facility discharges to an unnamed tributary of Pin Oak Creek (unclassified) which flows to the Bourbeuse River (Class P) (WBID 2034).

Residential Connections: 35

Commercial or Other Connections: 0

Total Connections: 35²

Proposed New Permit Requirements or Requirements Now Being Enforced:

Permit No. MO-0105589 expires on June 26, 2013. An application for renewal was received on December 6, 2012. The proposed new permit requirements may require disinfection and ammonia treatment.

Range of Anticipated Costs Associated with Complying with the New Requirements:

The department estimates the capital cost for adding disinfection and ammonia treatment to be between \$542,466 and \$1,340,602 (CAPDEWORKS cost estimator was used). Because of the small number of households using this facility, this cost, if financed through user fees, is estimated to cost each household between \$167 and \$394 per month.

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

The FCPWSO currently finances the operation of the WWTF through user fees.

¹ Villa Ridge is a Census Designated Place (CDP), not an incorporated place like a town, village or city.

² The number of connections was obtained from Form B of the application for permit renewal.

APPENDIX B – AFFORDABILITY ANALYSIS: (CONTINUED)

Sewer Rate Schedule for District #3 Customers

Monthly Sewer Rate Schedule³
(For all bills dated June 1, 2012 and thereafter)

Monthly	Sewer Service Rate
Billing Fee	\$ Included Below
Sewer Service (Minimum)	\$17.76 minimum each month includes up to 400 gals. of sewer service
Sewer Service	\$ 3.94 per each 1,000 gallons over 400 gallons per month

Based on this rate structure, a residence using 5000 gallons per month would pay \$37.46 per month.

Minimum Fee	\$17.76
5 x 3.94 =	<u>\$19.70</u>
	\$37.46

This rate is 0.75% of the communities Median Household Income (MHI). Rates below 1% are generally considered a low burden on households.

(2) *Affordability of pollution control options for the individuals or households of the community;*

If user rates are used to finance and operate the necessary upgrade, the rates may need to be increased to \$167 to \$394 per household per month, which would be at 3.3% to 7.9% of the MHI, respectively. Percentages above 2% usually create a high burden for a community.

Current Annual Operating Costs (Exclude Depreciation):	Unknown
Current User Rate:	\$37.46/mo.
Future User Rate:	\$313 - \$319/mo.
Estimated Capital Cost of Pollution Control Options:	\$542,466 - \$1,340,602
Annual Cost of Additional (<i>operating costs and debt service</i>):	\$100/month
Estimated Resulting User Rate:	\$313 - \$319/mo.
Median Household Income ²	\$60,023
Current Usage Rate as a % of Median Household Income:	0.75%
Future Usage Rate as a % of Median Household Income:	3.3% - 7.9% ⁴

³ This table was provided by the FCPSWD on their web page at http://www.franklincountywater.com/fee_schedule-dist3.html

⁴ 313/(60023/12) = 6.3 and 394/(60023/12) = 7.9

APPENDIX B – AFFORDABILITY ANALYSIS: (CONTINUED)

Check Appropriate Box	Financial Impact	Residential Indicator (Usage Rate as a percent of Median Household Income)
	Low	Less than 1% MHI
	Medium	Between 1% and 2% MHI
X	High	Greater than 2% MHI

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

The new permit limits on bacteria and ammonia are estimated to cost between \$542,466 and \$1,340,602. The environmental benefits of the increased ammonia removal will improve conditions for aquatic life in the stream receiving the discharge. Disinfection will decrease possible pathogen transmission to humans during recreation use in the stream receiving the discharge.

(4) 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; and

(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;

Potentially Distressed Populations	
Unemployment for Villa Ridge ⁵	10.2%
Median Household Income (MHI) in Villa Ridge ⁶	\$60,023
Percent Change in MHI (2000-2010)	33% Increase from \$45,045 to \$60,023
Percent Population Growth/Decline ⁷	9.06% Increase from 2000 to 2010
Change in Median Age in Years (2000-2010)	27% (from 35.4 to 45.1)
Percent of Households in Poverty ⁸	5.4%
Percent of Households Relying on Food Stamps	6.2%

⁵ Unemployment data was obtained from American Fact Finder at http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?pid=ACS_10_5YR_S1901&prodType=table

⁶ Median Household Income is provided by the American Fact Finder – INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2010 INFLATION ADJUSTED DOLLARS) – 2006 – 2010 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, which can be found online at: http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?pid=ACS_10_5YR_S1901&prodType=table

⁷ Population trend data was obtained from online at http://mcdc1.missouri.edu/cgi-bin/profiler/profiler.py?profile_id=SF1_2010&geoids=16000US2976192

⁸ Poverty data is provided by the American Fact Finder – POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS – 2006-2010 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, which can be found online at http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?pid=ACS_10_5YR_DP03&prodType=table

APPENDIX B – AFFORDABILITY ANALYSIS: (CONTINUED)

Opportunity for cost savings or cost avoidance:

If available, connection to a larger centralized collection system may be more cost effective.

Opportunity for changes to implementation/compliance schedule:

The compliance schedule in the renewed permit could be matched with the time needed for the District or community to arrange appropriate means to finance an upgrade.

(5) An assessment of other community investments relating to environmental improvements;

None known.

(6) 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;

Secondary indicators for consideration:

Socioeconomic, Debt and Financial Indicators

Indicators	Strong (3 points)	Mid-Range (2 points)	Weak (1 point)	Score
Bond Rating Indicator	Above BBB or Baa	BBB or Baa	Below BBB or Baa	NA
Overall Net Debt as a % of Full Market Property Value	Below 2%	2% - 5%	Above 5%	NA
Unemployment Rate	>1% below Missouri average	± 1% of Missouri average	>1% above Missouri average	1
Median Household Income	More than 25% above Missouri MHI	± 25% of Missouri MHI	More than 25% below Missouri average	3
Property Tax Revenues as a % of Full Market Property Value	Below 2%	2% - 4%	Above 4%	NA
Property Tax Collection Rate	Above 98%	94% - 98%	Below 94%	NA

Average Score for Financial Capability Matrix: 2
Residential Indicator (from Criteria #2 above): 3.3 – 7.9

APPENDIX B – AFFORDABILITY ANALYSIS: (CONTINUED)

Financial Capability Matrix

Financial Capability Indicators Score from above ↓	Residential Indicator (User rate as a % of MHI)		
	Low (Below 1%)	Mid-Range (Between 1.0% and 2.0%)	High (Above 2.0%)
Weak (below 1.5)	Medium Burden	High Burden	High Burden
Mid-Range (1.5 – 2.5)	Low Burden	Medium Burden	High Burden
Strong (above 2.5)	Low Burden	Low Burden	Medium Burden

Estimated Financial Burden: High Burden

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

Although unemployment is above average, Villa Ridge CDP experienced a significant increase in MHI (33%) and population growth (+9.06%) between Year 2000 and 2010. The U.S. Census Bureau reports lower than average poverty and Food Stamp use in this community compared to other smaller communities.

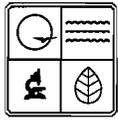
Conclusion and Finding

The Department identified the actions for which an affordability analysis is required under Section 644.145 RSMo. The RCSD applied for a renewed operating permit. As a result of new regulations, the Department is proposing modifications to the current operating permit that may require the District to add disinfection and ammonia treatment to the WWTF.

The Department estimates that upgrading the facility will cost the District an estimated \$542,466 to \$1,340,602. Should this cost be financed through increased user fees, the increase might raise user fees from 0.75% to as high as 7.9% of the community’s median household income. This analysis concludes that the evaluated permit actions will likely result in user fees well above 2.0 % which is considered the threshold for a high financial burden on a community.

The Department considered all seven (7) of the criteria presented in subsection 644.145.3 when evaluating the affordability of 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 will likely result in a very high burden with regard to the community’s overall financial capability and a very high financial impact for most individual customers/households. However, this determination is based on readily available data. Additional data may provide a more accurate estimate of the financial impact on the community.

AP 14080



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM, WATER POLLUTION BRANCH
(SEE MAP FOR APPROPRIATE REGIONAL OFFICE)
**FORM B - APPLICATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OR
OPERATING PERMIT FOR FACILITIES WHICH
RECEIVE PRIMARILY DOMESTIC WASTE**
UNDER MISSOURI CLEAN WATER LAW

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NOTE ▶ PLEASE READ THE ACCOMPANYING INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM

1.00 This application is for: Federal/State an operating permit renewal: permit # MO-0105589
 a construction permit Funded Project Expiration Date: 6/26/13
 an operating permit for a new or unpermitted facility an operating permit modification
(See instructions for appropriate fee to be submitted with application) Reason: _____

2.00 FACILITY

NAME FCPWSD #3 Woodridge Farms Subdivision		PHONE 636-742-5200	
ADDRESS (PHYSICAL) 150 OLD HIGHWAY 100	CITY VILLA RIDGE	STATE MO	ZIP 63089

2.10 LEGAL DESCRIPTION: NE 1/4, SW 1/4, NE 1/4, Sec. 23, T 43N, R 1E FRANKLIN County

2.20 Is this a new facility constructed under a Missouri Construction Permit? YES NO
If yes, please provide Missouri Construction Permit Number: _____

2.30 Name of receiving stream (s): _____

3.00 OWNER

NAME FRANKLIN COUNTY PWSD #3 (FCPWSD)		EMAIL ADDRESS GBADER@ALLIANCEW ATER.COM	PHONE 636-742-5200
ADDRESS 150 OLD HIGHWAY 100	CITY VILLA RIDGE	STATE MO	ZIP 63089

3.10 Request review of draft permit prior to Public Notice? YES NO

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

NAME same as above		PHONE	
ADDRESS SAME AS ABOVE	CITY	STATE	ZIP

5.00 OPERATOR

NAME TERRY MCDANIEL	CERTIFICATE NUMBER 5792	PHONE 636-742-5200
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6.00 FACILITY CONTACT

NAME BOB HATHCOCK	TITLE LOCAL MANAGER	PHONE 636-742-5200
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7.00 ADDITIONAL FACILITY INFORMATION

7.10 Description of facilities (attach additional sheet if required). Attach a 1" = 2000' scale USGS topographic map showing location of all outfalls.

7.15 Facility SIC code: 4952; Discharge SIC code: _____

7.20 Number of separate discharge points 1

7.30 Number of persons presently connected or population equivalent _____. Design P.E. 144
Number of units presently connected: Homes 35 Trailers _____
Apartments _____ Other _____
Design flow: 14400 Actual flow: 5300/DAY

7.40 Does any bypassing occur anywhere in the collection system or at the treatment facility?
 Yes No (If yes, attach explanation)

7.50 Is industrial waste discharged to the facility identified in item 2? Yes No (If yes, see instructions.)

7.60 Will the discharge be continuous through the year? Yes No
a. Discharge will occur during the following months: _____
b. How many days of the week will the discharge occur? _____

7.65 Is wastewater land applied? Yes No (If yes, attach Form I)

7.70 Will chlorine be added to the effluent? Yes No
a. If chlorine is added, what is the resulting residual? _____

7.80 Does this facility discharge to a losing stream or sinkhole? Yes No

7.85 Attach a flow chart showing all influents, treatment facilities and outfalls.

7.90 Has a waste load allocation study been completed for this facility? Yes No

7.95 List all permit violations, including effluent limit exceedances in the last 5 years. Attach a separate sheet if necessary. If none, write none.

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8.00 SLUDGE HANDLING, USE AND DISPOSAL

- 8.10** Is the sludge a hazardous waste as defined by 10 CSR 25? Yes No
- 8.20** Sludge Production, including sludge received from others: 2.59 Design Dry Tons/Year _____ Actual Dry Tons/Year
- 8.30** Capacity of sludge holding structures:
 7.31 Sludge storage provided: 500 cubic feet; _____ days of storage
 _____ average percent solids of sludge. No sludge storage is provided.
- 7.32 Type of Storage: Holding tank Building
 Basin Other (describe) AERATED DIGESTER
 Concrete Pad
- 8.40** Sludge Treatment:
 Anaerobic Digester Lagoon Composting
 Storage Tank Aerobic Digester Other (attach description)
 Lime Stabilization Air or Heat Drying
- 8.50** Sludge Use or Disposal:
 Land Application Surface Disposal (Sludge Disposal Lagoon, Sludge held for more than 2 years)
 Contract Hauler Incineration
 Hauled to Another Treatment Facility Sludge Retained in Wastewater treatment lagoon
 Solid Waste Landfill Other _____ Attach explanation sheet.
- 8.60** **PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR HAULING SLUDGE TO DISPOSAL FACILITY**
 By Applicant By Others (complete below)

NAME			
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP
CONTACT PERSON	PHONE	PERMIT NO. MO-	

8.70 SLUDGE USE OR DISPOSAL FACILITY
 By Applicant By Others (complete below)

NAME SEPTIC SERVICES			
ADDRESS P O BOX 632	CITY UNION	STATE MO	ZIP 63084
CONTACT PERSON	PHONE 636-583-5564	PERMIT NO. MO-	

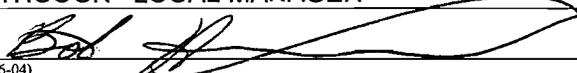
8.80 Does the sludge or biosolids disposal comply with federal sludge regulations under 40 CFR 503?
 Yes No (attach explanation)

9.00 DOWNSTREAM LANDOWNER (S). ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS NECESSARY. SEE INSTRUCTIONS.

NAME SEE ATTACHED			
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP

10.00 DRINKING WATER SUPPLY INFORMATION

- 10.10** WHAT IS THE SOURCE OF YOUR DRINKING WATER SUPPLY:
 A. Public supply (municipal or water district water)
 If public, please give name of the public supply PWSD #3 OF FRANKLIN COUNTY
 B. Private well _____
 C. Surface water (lake, pond, or stream) _____
- 10.20** Does your drinking water source serve at least 25 people at least 60 days per year (not necessarily consecutive days)?
 Yes No
- 10.30** Does your supply serve housing which is occupied year round by the same people? This does not include housing which is occupied seasonally. Yes No
- 11.00** I certify that I am familiar with the information contained in the application, that to the best of my knowledge and belief such information is true, complete and accurate, and if granted this permit, I agree to abide by the Missouri Clean Water Law and all rules, regulations, orders and decisions, subject to any legitimate appeal available to applicant under the Missouri Clean Water Law.

NAME AND OFFICIAL TITLE (TYPE OR PRINT) BOB HATHCOCK - LOCAL MANAGER	PHONE (AREA CODE & NO.) 636-742-5200
SIGNATURE 	DATE SIGNED 11-27-12

WOODRIDGE FARMS
PERMIT #MO-0105589

Downstream Landowners

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Villa Ridge, MO 63089

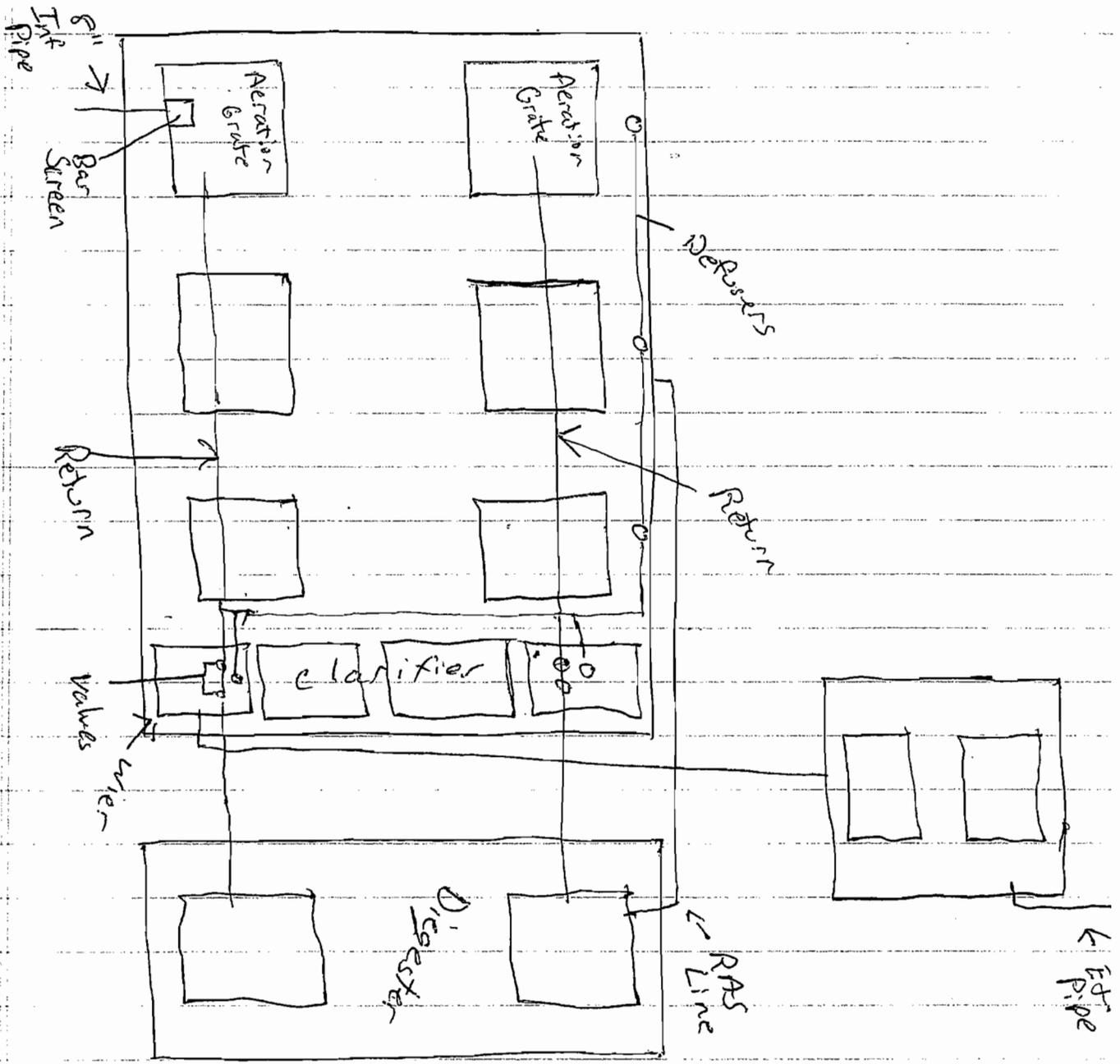
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