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-0096938
Owner: Boone County Regional Sewer District
Address: 1314 North Seventh Street, Columbia, MO 65201
Continuing Authority: Boone County Regional Sewer District (BCSD)
Address: 1314 North Seventh Street, Columbia, MO 65201
Facility Name: County Downes WWTF
Facility Address: Highway VV & Akeman Bridge Road, Columbia, MO 65202
Legal Description: SW ¼, SE ¼, Sec.11, T49N, R13W, Boone County
Latitude/Longitude: +3902205/-09220441
Receiving Stream: Unnamed tributary to Rocky Fork Creek (U)
First Classified Stream and ID: Rocky Fork Creek (C) (01014)
USGS Basin & Sub-watershed No.: 10300102-110005

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
Two cell aerated primary lagoon/sludge is retained in lagoon.
Design population equivalent is 532.
Design flow is 53,200 gallons per day.
Actual flow is 27,800 gallons per day.
Design sludge production is 2.6 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 644.051.6 of the Law.

January 4, 2008  January 18, 2008
Effective Date  Revised Date

Doyle Childers, Director, Department of Natural Resources
Executive Secretary, Clean Water Commission

January 3, 2013
Expiration Date
MO 780-0041 (10-93)
Irene Crawford, Director, Northeast Regional Office
A. 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 interim effluent limitations shall become effective upon issuance and remain in effect until four (4) years and 364-days from the issuance of this permit. Such discharges shall be controlled, limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:

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B. 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 and August 15, 1994, AND HEREBY INCORPORATED AS THOUGH FULLY SET FORTH HEREIN.

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C. INFLUENT MONITORING REQUIREMENTS

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Monitoring reports shall be submitted annually; the first report is due October 28, 2008.

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 area-wide wastewater treatment system within 90 days of notice of its availability.

4. 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 in Part A of the permit by the Director.
   (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.

5. Report as no-discharge when a discharge does not occur during the report period.
D. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

6. 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.
   (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.

7. Sludge and Biosolids Use For Domestic Wastewater Treatment Facilities
   (a) Permittee shall comply with the pollutant limitations, monitoring, reporting, and other requirements in accordance with the attached permit Standard Conditions.
   (b) If sludge is not removed by a contract hauler, permittee is authorized to land apply biosolids. Permit Standard Conditions, Part III shall apply to the land application of biosolids. Permittee shall notify the department at least 180 days prior to the planned removal of biosolids. The department may require submittal of a biosolids management plan for department review and approval as determined appropriate on a case-by-case basis.

8. The permittee shall comply with any applicable requirements listed in 10 CSR 20-8 and 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 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 semi-annually in April and October 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.

E. SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE

The final limits shall become effective in accordance with the one of the conditions below, or on December 31, 2013, whichever comes first.

1. By two years from the issuance of the permit, the permittee shall be in compliance with the final bacteria limits set forth in the permit, if it is believed that disinfection equipment is not necessary to meet such limits. The permittee shall submit an interim report within a year to the Department regarding the facility’s compliance with the bacterial standards. The report should include A or B of the following:
   A. An evaluation or data set to the permitting authority that demonstrate effluent limits can be met without disinfection equipment or;
   B. An alternative water quality based effluent limit or a demonstration that such limits are not required and will not violate the Water Quality standard for E. coli. A permit modification request may be submitted with the report.
   C. Within Three months of the interim monitoring report, the Department may determine that disinfection will be necessary to meet effluent limits.
E. SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE (continued)

2. Within 180 days from the issuance of the Department’s notice to disinfect but no later than 30 months from permit issuance, the permittee shall submit a construction permit application and an activity schedule toward meeting disinfection requirement.

   A. The Permittee shall submit an interim progress report within 12 months from commencement of construction if the construction completion and operation of the disinfection equipment will be more than 1 year.
   B. If the permittee will fail to meet any of the interim dates above, the permittee shall notify the Department in writing of the reason for non compliance no later than 14 days following each interim date.
   C. Facility shall be in compliance upon with disinfection specified in the Department agreed on activity schedule but no later the expiration date of the permit.
   D. Upon completion of construction, the permittee shall submit an application to modify the permit and a Statement of Work complete, signed by the owner and licensed professional engineer in the state of Missouri, prior to expiration of this permit.

PERMIT TRANSFER

This permit may be transferred to a new owner by submitting an “Application for Transfer of Operating Permit” signed by the seller and buyer of the facility, along with the appropriate modification fee.

PERMIT RENEWAL REQUIREMENTS

Unless this permit is terminated, the permittee shall submit an application for the renewal of this permit no later than six (6) months prior to the permit’s expiration date. Failure to apply for renewal may result in termination of this permit and enforcement action to compel compliance with this condition and the Missouri Clean Water Law.

TERMINATION

In order to terminate this permit, the permittee shall notify the department by submitting Form J, included with the State Operating Permit. The permittee shall complete Form J and mail it to the department at the address noted in the cover letter of this permit. Proper closure of any storage structure is required prior to permit termination. A closure plan shall be submitted to the department and approved prior to initiating closure activities.

DUTY OF COMPLIANCE

The permittee shall comply with all conditions of this permit. Any noncompliance with this permit constitutes a violation of Chapter 644, Missouri Clean Water Law, and 10 CSR 20-6. Noncompliance may result in enforcement action, termination of this authorization, or denial of the permittee’s request for renewal.

This permit authorizes only the activities described in this permit. Compliance with this permit may not be considered a shield from compliance with any local ordinance, State Regulation or State Law.
Missouri Department of Natural Resources
Statement of Basis
NPDES #: MO-0096938
BCSD – County Downes WWTF

This Statement of Basis (Statement) gives pertinent information regarding minor/simple modification(s) to the above listed operating permit without the need for a public comment process.

A Statement is not an enforceable part of a Missouri State Operating Permit.

FACILITY DESCRIPTION

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Facility SIC Code(s): 4952

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MODIFICATION RATIONALE
This operating permit is hereby modified to include the designation that the facility is a POTW.