### 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-0101541
Owner:	Mark A. & Michael J. Kuster
Address:	1115 Eastland Drive, Jefferson City, MO 65101
Continuing Authority:	Same as above
Address:	Same as above
Facility Name:	Green Acres Subdivision
Facility Address:	Highway 50 East & County Road 800, Linn, MO 65051
Legal Description:	NW 1/4, NW 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 21, T43N, R8W, Osage County
Latitude/Longitude:	+3827409/-09149095
Receiving Stream:	Unnamed tributary to Owens Creek (U) Losing
First Classified Stream and ID:	Owens Creek (C) (01461)
USGS Basin & Sub-watershed No.:	(10290203-040001)

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

#### FACILITY DESCRIPTION

<u>Outfall #001</u> - Subdivision – SIC #4952 Three-cell lagoon / sludge is retained in lagoon Design population equivalent is 140. Design flow is 14,000 gallons per day. Actual flow is 5,000 gallons per day. Design sludge production is 2.1 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.

March 9, 2007 Effective Date



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

March 8, 2010 Expiration Date MO 780-0041 (10-93)

Irene Crawford, Director, Northeast Regional Office

#### A. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS

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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 upon issuance and remain in effect until expiration of the permit. Such discharges shall be controlled, limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:

OUTFALL NUMBER AND EFFLUENT PARAMETER(S)	UNITS	FINAL EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS			MONITORING REQUIREMENTS	
		DAILY MAXIMUM	WEEKLY AVERAGE	MONTHLY AVERAGE	MEASUREMENT FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Outfall #001						
Flow	gpd	*		*	once/ quarter**	24 hr. estimate
Biochemical Oxygen Demand <sub>5</sub> ****	mg/L		15	10	once/quarter**	grab
Total Suspended Solids****	mg/L		20	15	once/quarter**	grab
pH – Units	SU	***		***	once/quarter**	grab
Ammonia as N	mg/L	*		*	once/quarter**	grab
Temperature	°C	*		*	once/quarter**	grab
Fecal Coliform (Note 1 & 2)	#/100mL	1000		400	once/quarter**	grab

MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED <u>QUARTERLY</u>; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE <u>July 28, 2007</u>. THERE SHALL BE NO DISCHARGE OF FLOATING SOLIDS OR VISIBLE FOAM IN OTHER THAN TRACE AMOUNTS.

#### **B. STANDARD CONDITIONS**

IN ADDITION TO SPECIFIED CONDITIONS STATED HEREIN, THIS PERMIT IS SUBJECT TO THE ATTACHED Parts I & III STANDARD CONDITIONS DATED October 1, 1980 and August 15, 1994, AND HEREBY INCORPORATED AS THOUGH FULLY SET FORTH HEREIN.

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#### A. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS (continued)

- \* Monitoring requirement only.
- \*\* Sample once per quarter in the months of March, June, September, and December.
- \*\*\* pH is measured in pH units and is not to be averaged. The pH is limited to the range of 6.0-9.0 pH units.
- \*\*\*\* This facility is required to meet a removal efficiency of 85% or more.
- Note 1 Final limitations and monitoring requirements for Fecal Coliform are applicable only during the recreational season from April 1 through October 31.

Note 2 - The Monthly Average Limit for Fecal coliform is a geometric mean.

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The facility is required to meet a removal efficiency of 85% or more. 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		
Influent					
Biochemical Oxygen Demand <sub>5</sub>	mg/L	once/year	grab		
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	once/year	grab		
MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED ANNUALLY; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE October 28, 2007.					

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#### 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  $\mu$ g/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. 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.

#### E. SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE

- 1. Permittee will cease discharge by connection to City of Linn wastewater treatment system within 90 days of notice of its availability or by September 1, 2008, whichever is first.
- 2. Permittee is to submit a final lagoon closure within 90 days of notice of sewer availability or by September 1, 2008, whichever is first.
- 3. Permittee will properly close the lagoon within six months of connection to the City of Linn wastewater treatment system.

Date of Fact Sheet: January 4, 2007

Date of Public Notice: January 19, 2007

# NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT FACT SHEET

This Fact Sheet explains the applicable regulations, rationale for development of this permit and the public participation process.

NPDES PERMIT NUMBER: MO-0101541 FACILITY NAME: Green Acres Subdivision OWNER NAME: Mark A. & Michael J. Kuster LOCATION: NW¼, NW¼, SE¼, Sec. 21, T43N, R8W, Osage County RECEIVING STREAM: Unnamed tributary to Owens Creek FACILITY CONTACT PERSON: Mr. Mark Kuster TELEPHONE: (573) 893-5514 FACILITY DESCRIPTION

The Green Acres Subdivision Wastewater Treatment Facility is a facultative three-cell lagoon system. The lagoon is designed to treat the waste from the subdivision with a population equivalent of 140 and a design flow of 14,000 gallons per day.

The facility discharges treated wastewater into an unnamed tributary to Owens Creek. The discharge point is designated as Outfall #001. The unnamed tributary to Owens Creek is a losing stream. Approximately 5.5 miles below the discharge point, the flow enters Owens Creek. Owens Creek is listed as a Class C stream. The beneficial uses of the classified portion of the stream include livestock and wildlife watering, protection of warm water aquatic life and human health, fish consumption, and whole body contact recreational category B.

The Federal Water Pollution Control Act ("Clean Water Act" Section 402 Public Law 92-500 as amended) established the National Pollutant 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. Permits in Missouri are issued by the Director of the Department of Natural Resources 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).

10 CSR 20-7.031 Missouri Water Quality Standards, Missouri Department of Natural Resources (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's beneficial water uses to be maintained are livestock and wildlife watering, protection of aquatic life, and Whole Body Contact Recreation.

To protect these beneficial uses and the water quality of the receiving stream, effluent limitations are being established under federal and state laws.

#### EFFLUENT LIMIT DERIVATION & RATIONALE

Permit limits have been retained from the previous permit. A Water Quality Review Sheet was therefore not developed. Monitoring requirements have been added for ammonia and temperature. Monitoring for ammonia was added due to the adoption of the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency's "1999 Update of Ambient Water Quality Criteria for Ammonia".

This permit will be issued for a period of <u>three</u> years. This facility has a compliance agreement to connect to the City of Linn wastewater treatment system upon availability.