

NPDES authorization to discharge to waters of the United States, Permit No. NM0031178

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The new wastewater treatment plant is located at 5500 McNutt Road, Sunland Park, Dona Ana County, New Mexico. It is replacing an old facility located at 5540 McNutt Road, Santa Teresa. Under the Standard Industrial Classification Code 4952, the new POTW has a design capacity of 1.0 MGD serving a population of 8064. The discharge from the new POTW is to the Rio Grande River Segment 20.604.101. Designated uses of the receiving water are stated in the Fact Sheet.

This is a first-time issuance permit.

A fact sheet is available.

State Certification

This Notice also serves as Public Notice of the intent of the New Mexico Environment Department, Surface Water Quality Bureau to consider issuing Clean Water Act (CWA) Section 401 Certification. The purpose of such certification is to reasonably ensure that the permitted activities will be conducted in a manner that will comply with applicable New Mexico water quality standards, including the anti-degradation policy, and the statewide water quality management plan. The NPDES permit will not be issued until the certification requirements of Section 401 have been met.

If you want to comment on State Certification submit written comments within the 30 day period to:

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