National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System

Notice Date: 3/31/2021

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources is proposing to approve an application for reissuance of an NPDES (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) permit for the discharges described below:

DISCHARGER NAME AND ADDRESS:

WATERLOO CITY OF STP 3505 EASTON AVENUE WATERLOO, IOWA 50702

LOCATION: Township: 89 Range: 12 Section: 31 County: Black Hawk

DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGES

001 EASTON AVENUE ACTIVATED SLUDGE WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY.

RECEIVING STREAM: CEDAR RIVER

004 BYPASS AT THE HACKETT ROAD LIFT STATION.

RECEIVING STREAM: UNNAMED CREEK

008 SATELLITE ACTIVATED SLUDGE WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY.

RECEIVING STREAM: CEDAR RIVER

009 BYPASS AT SHORELINE OVERFLOW WHEN STREAM FLOW IS LESS THAN 8500 CFS (USGS GAGE 05464000)

RECEIVING STREAM: CEDAR RIVER

010 BYPASS AT EQUALIZATION BASIN OVERFLOW

RECEIVING STREAM: CEDAR RIVER

801 TOTAL TREATMENT FACILITY DIFFUSER DISCHARGE.

RECEIVING STREAM: CEDAR RIVER

011 TOTAL TREATMENT FACILITY SHORELINE DISCHARGE- STREAM FLOW IS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 8500 CFS (USGS GAGE 05464000)

RECEIVING STREAM: CEDAR RIVER

012 BYPASS AT SERGEANT RD AND FLETCHER AVE

RECEIVING STREAM: BLACK HAWK CREEK

Stabilized sludge is applied to local land according to state regulations.

Anyone wishing to comment on or object to the proposed issuance of this permit must do so in writing within forty-five (45) days of the date shown at the top of this notice. All comments received will be considered in the final determination. If no objections are received within forty-five (45) days, the Department will issue a final permit. You may request the Department hold a public hearing by submitting a request stating specific reasons why a hearing should be held. Comments, objections, and requests for hearings may be submitted to the permit writer at the email address below, or may be addressed to Iowa DNR, NPDES Section, 502 East 9th St., Des Moines, IA 50319.

The proposed permit and other information may be viewed online using the Wastewater Permit Information Exchange (WWPIE) system at https://programs.iowadnr.gov/wwpie/. This information is also on file and available for public inspection from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM Monday through Friday at the above street address. In addition, copies of this information may be requested by calling Ben Hucka at (515) 537-3015 or e-mail at ben.hucka@dnr.iowa.gov.

PUBLIC NOTICE PROCEDURES AND CERTIFICATION - MAJOR FACILITIES

Enclosed is a copy of a public notice prepared by the Department stating our proposal to REISSUE an NPDES permit. In addition to the distribution of this notice already made by the Department, you are required by the Iowa Administrative Code to circulate the public notice in the following manner:

- 1. Post a copy of the public notice in a public place, such as city hall, a library and/or other public places within the nearest city.
- 2. Post the public notice at your facility or your facility offices.
- 3. Publish the public notice in the local newspapers for one day AT YOUR OWN EXPENSE.

You must publish and post the notice no later than 15 days from the "Notice Date" shown on the enclosed notice. The posted notices must remain in place for thirty (30) days.

The notice that you publish must contain all of the information shown on the attached page titled "National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System".

Complete the certificate below and return it with a copy of the published notice immediately after publication. Please scan the signed certification and published notice and email it to the permit writer at ben.hucka@dnr.iowa.gov. The certification and published notice may also be returned to:

Ben Hucka NPDES Section Iowa Department of Natural Resources 502 East 9th Street Des Moines, IA 50319

The copy should identify the date the notice appeared in print and the name of the publication. An affidavit from the newspaper is not required.

CERTIFICATE	
This is to certify that the public notice has been circulated in accordance with the above instructions.	
SIGNATURE	TYPED OR PRINTED NAME
TITLE	DATE SIGNED
FACILITY NAME	DATE POSTED