

State of Kansas
Department of Health and Environment

Public Notice Concerning Kansas / Federal
Water Pollution Control Permits and Applications

State of Kansas
Department of Health and Environment
Division of Environment-Bureau of Water
1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 420
Topeka, Kansas 66612-1367

Public Notice No. KS-AG-20-203/208
Public Notice No. KS-Q-20-151/158
Public Notice No. KS-PT-20-013

Telephone: (785) 296-6432 - Ag Permits
(785) 296-5517 - All Others

Beginning Date: September 10, 2020
Comments Due: October 10, 2020

In accordance with Kansas Administrative Regulations 28-16-57 through 63, 28-18-1 through 17, 28-18a-1 through 33, 28-16-150 through 154, 28-46-7, and the authority vested with the State by the administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, various draft water pollution control documents (permits, notices to revoke and reissue, notices to terminate) have been prepared and/or permit applications have been received for discharges to waters of the United States and the state of Kansas for the class of discharges described below.

The proposed actions concerning the draft documents are based on staff review, applying the appropriate standards, regulations, and effluent limitations of the state of Kansas and the Environmental Protection Agency. The final action will result in a Federal National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Authorization and/or a Kansas Water Pollution Control permit being issued, subject to certain conditions, revocation, and reissuance of the designated permit or termination of the designated permit.

Public Notice No. KS-AG-20-203/208
Pending Permits for Confined Feeding Facilities

<u>Name and Address of Applicant</u>	<u>Legal Description</u>	<u>Receiving Water</u>
High Plains Ranch, LLC High Plains Ranch, LLC – East 12225 E. Hwy 16 Satanta, KS 67870	SW/4 of Section 10 T28S, R31W Haskell County	Upper Arkansas River Basin

Kansas Permit No.: A-UAHS-C012 Federal Permit No.: KS0096971

The proposed action is to **reissue** an existing NPDES permit for an existing facility for 4,999 head (4,999 animal units) of cattle weighing more than 700 pounds. There will be no change in the operation or permitted number of animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Nutrient Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Richard Amershek Amershek Dairy 670 S. 30 th St. McCune, KS 66753	SW/4 of Section 18 T30S, R22E Crawford County	Neosho River Basin
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Kansas Permit No.: A-NECR-M002

This is a renewal permit for an existing facility for a maximum capacity of 150 head (210 animal units) of mature dairy cattle and 140 head (70 animal units) of cattle weighing less than 700 pounds for a total of 290 head (280 animal units). There has been no change in the permitted animal units.

Great Bend Feeding, Inc. – East
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251 NW 10th Ave
Great Bend, KS 67530

All of Section 18
T19S, R13W
Barton County

Upper Arkansas
River Basin

Kansas Permit No.: A-UABT-C001

Federal Permit No.: KS0040606

The proposed action is to reissue an existing NPDES permit for an existing facility for 24,000 head (24,000 animal units) of cattle weighing greater than 700 pounds. There will be no change in the operation or permitted number of animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Nutrient Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Jennifer A. Gerety
J-Six Enterprises, LLC – Henery Site
604 Nemaha, P.O. Box 170
Seneca, KS 66538

NE/4 of the SE/4 of Section 30
T04S, R14E
Nemaha County

Kansas River Basin

Kansas Permit No.: A-KSNM-S035

This is a renewal permit for an existing confined animal feeding facility with a maximum capacity for 2,400 head (960 animal units) of swine weighing more than 55 pounds. There has been no change in animal numbers since the last permit.

Judd Meyer
Hog Finisher – Judd Meyer
1959 216th Rd.
Sabetha, KS 66534

SW/4 of Section 18
T01S, R14E
Nemaha County

Missouri River Basin

Kansas Permit No.: A-MONM-S054

This is a renewal permit for an existing confined animal feeding facility with a maximum capacity of 300 head (120 animal units) of swine weighing more than 55 pounds. The animal unit capacity has not changed since the previous permit.

Marvin Lierz
Marvin Lierz
1575 U Road
Sabetha, KS 66534

NE/4 of Section 20
T03S, R14E
Nemaha County

Kansas River Basin

The proposed action is to reissue an existing State/NPDES permit for an existing facility. This is a limestone quarrying and crushing operation that occasionally washes rock. Wash water is treated by a settling basin, which does not discharge. Outfall 001A1 consists of stormwater runoff only. Outfalls 002A1 and 003A1 consists of pit water and stormwater runoff. Outfall 004 no longer exists. The proposed permit contains generic language to protect the waters of the State.

Cornejo & Sons, LLC
2060 E Tulsa Street
Wichita, KS 67216

Verdigris River via
Drum Creek via
Unnamed Tributary

Process
Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. I-VE07-PO02 Federal Permit No. KS0082074
Legal Description: W½, S22, T31S, R17E, Montgomery County, Kansas
Facility Name: Cherryvale Quarry

The proposed action is to reissue an existing State/NPDES permit for an existing facility. This facility is engaged in a limestone quarrying operation, which may wash rock occasionally/ Outfalls 001, 002, 003 and 004 consists of stormwater runoff and pit dewatering. If rock washing occurs and wash water is generated, it will be directed to a large sedimentation pond for treatment and will not discharge. The proposed permit contains generic language to protect the waters of the State.

Cornejo & Sons, LLC
2060 E Tulsa Street
Wichita, KS 67216

Verdigris River via
Village Creek via
Woodruff Branch via
Unnamed Tributary

Process
Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. I-VE03-PO03 Federal Permit No. KS0101788
Legal Description: SW¼, S13, T27S, R16E, Wilson County, Kansas
Facility Name: Wilson County Quarry

The proposed action is to reissue an existing State/NPDES permit for an existing facility. This is a limestone quarrying and crushing operation with no rock washing. Outfalls 001, 002 and 003 consists of pit water and stormwater runoff only. The discharge from Outfall 001 is treated by a settling pond before discharge. The proposed permit contains generic language to protect the waters of the State.

N.R. Hamm Quarries, Inc
609 Perry Place
Perry, KS 66073-0017

Kansas River via
Vermillion Creek via
Indian Creek via
Unnamed Tributary

Process
Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. I-KS79-PO02 Federal Permit No. KS0080977
Legal Description: S½ of S3, N½ and SE¼ of S10, NW¼ of S11, T7S, R10E, Pottawatomie County
Facility Name: Onaga Quarry #99

The proposed action is to reissue an existing State/NPDES permit for an existing facility. This is a limestone quarrying and crushing operation with some washing. Outfall 001A1 consists of stormwater runoff from an exposed area (quarry pit) and from an area that is being reclaimed. Outfall 002A1 consists of treated wash water and stormwater runoff, which is pumped from the west pit and is treated

by a series of settling ponds. Outfall 003A1 consists of stormwater runoff and water from the east pit, treated by a settling pond, before discharging. The proposed permit contains limits for total suspended solids.

Neosho County Commission
515 E 4th
Erie, KS 66733

Neosho River via
Bachelor Creek via
Unnamed Tributary

Process
Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. I-NE25-PO04 Federal Permit No. KS0100919
Legal Description: SE¼, S9, T30S, R20E, Neosho County, Kansas
Facility Name: South Mound Quarry

The proposed action is to reissue an existing State/NPDES permit for an existing facility. This is a limestone quarrying and crushing operation with no washing. Outfall 001 consists of stormwater runoff and quarry pit water. The proposed permit contains generic language to protect the waters of the State.

Southwest Butler Quarry LLC
9423 SW 165th Street
Augusta, KS 67010

Walnut River via
Unnamed Tributary

Process
Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. I-WA07-PO02 Federal Permit No. KS0089192
Legal Description: NW¼, S29, T28S, R4E, Butler County, Kansas
Facility Name: Gordon Quarry

The proposed action is to reissue an existing State/NPDES permit for an existing facility. This is a limestone quarrying and crushing operation with no washing. Outfall 001 and 002 consists of stormwater runoff treated by settling ponds. The proposed permit contains generic language to protect the waters of the State.

Public Notice No. KS-PT-20-013

The requirements of the draft permit public noticed below are pursuant to the Kansas Administrative Regulations 28-16-82 through 28-16-98, and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Pretreatment Regulation 40 CFR 403.

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT</u>	<u>RECEIVING FACILITY</u>	<u>TYPE OF DISCHARGE</u>
Neal Spencer 1510 N Davis Street Ottawa, KS 66067	Ottawa MWWTP	Process Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. P-MC31-OO03 Federal Permit No. KSP000090

The proposed action is to reissue an existing pretreatment permit for an existing facility. This facility performs job shop powder coating on steel parts, prior to painting them. Outfall 001 consists of process wastes generated from phosphating of steel parts, using a five-stage washer system and phosphating wastes from a pressure spray operation, used to clean larger metal parts. Samples from these two phosphating systems will be composited into one sample, based on the amount of flow from each process. Both of these phosphating systems are considered to be conversion coating operations and are subject to the Metal Finishing Standard, Part 433. The proposed permit contains pretreatment limitations for pH, total toxic organics, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, nickel, silver, zinc and cyanide.

Persons wishing to comment on or object to the draft documents and/or permit applications must submit their comments in writing to the Kansas Department of Health and Environment if they wish to have the comments or objections considered in the decision-making process. Comments or objections should be submitted to the attention of Livestock Waste Management Section for agricultural related draft documents or applications, or to the permit clerk for all other permits, at the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Division of Environment, Bureau of Water, 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 420, Topeka, Kansas 66612-1367.

All comments regarding the draft documents or application notices received on or before **October 10, 2020**, will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding this public notice. Please refer to the appropriate Kansas document number (KS-AG-20-203/208, KS-Q-20-151/158, KS-PT-20-013) and name of the applicant/permittee when preparing comments.

After review of any comments received during the public notice period, the Secretary of Health and Environment will issue a determination regarding final agency action on each draft document/ application.

If response to any draft document / application indicates significant public interest, a public hearing may be held in conformance with K.A.R. 28-16-61 (28-46-21 for UIC).

All draft documents / application and the supporting information including any comments received are on file and may be inspected at the offices of the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Bureau of Water, 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 420, Topeka, Kansas. These documents are available upon request at the copying cost assessed by KDHE. Application information and components of plans and specifications for all new and expanding swine facilities are available on the Internet at <http://www.kdheks.gov/feedlots>. Division of Environment offices are open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.

Lee A. Norman, M.D.
Secretary
Kansas Department of Health and Environment