## PUBLIC NOTICE STATE OF ALASKA

## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION Alyeska Pipeline Service Company

## Trans-Alaska Pipeline System Pump Station 9

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) has made a preliminary decision to approve Alyeska Pipeline Service Company's application for Air Quality Control Operating Permit AQ0079TVP05 for the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System (TAPS) Pump Station 9 (PS-9), under Alaska Statutes 46.14 and regulation 18 AAC 50.

**Applicant:** Alyeska Pipeline Service Company (APSC)

P.O. Box 196660

Anchorage, Alaska 99519-6660

**Location:** Section 27, T11S, R10E (MP 258 Richardson Hwy)

Fairbanks Meridian, Alaska

Latitude 63° 55′ 53" North; Longitude 145° 45′ 59" West

**Application:** APSC applied for a renewal operating permit on January 4, 2024. This public notice

is for the draft operating permit.

**Activity:** Pump Station 9 (PS-9) supports the transportation of crude oil by TAPS, which

transports crude oil from the North Slope of Alaska to the Valdez Marine Terminal.

**Emissions:** The potential annual emissions of regulated air pollutants at the stationary source

will not exceed: 401 tons of Nitrogen Oxides, 14 tons of Carbon Monoxide, 3.8 tons

of Particulate Matter, 34 tons of Sulfur Dioxide, 411 tons of Volatile Organic Compounds, and 12.4 tons of Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAP), with highest

individual HAP (*N-Hexane*) estimated at 8.16 tons. The potential annual emissions for Greenhouse Gases are estimated at 23,902 tons of carbon dioxide equivalent emissions. The total annual potential emissions of regulated air pollutants, other

than greenhouse gases, are 864 tons.

**ADEC Preliminary Review:** Based on review of the application, ADEC drafted a preliminary permit decision for the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System Pump Station 9 under AS 46.14 and 18 AAC 50.

**Available Information:** Copies of the permit application, ADEC's draft operating permit, and draft statement of basis (SOB) are available at the following offices:

ADEC Air Permits Program, 333 Willoughby Avenue, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Ste 800, State Office Building, Juneau, AK 99801

ADEC Air Permits Program, 555 Cordova Street, Anchorage, AK 99501

These documents are also available at ADEC's website at: http://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/AirPermitsApprovalsAndPublicNotices/

**Opportunity for Public Participation:** Any interested person may present written statements relevant to the draft documents, as long as they are received by the close of the public comment

period. ADEC will consider all comments received and make any changes ADEC finds beneficial or necessary to assure compliance with 18 AAC 50 or state law. ADEC will issue a final decision to issue or deny the permit after the close of the public comment period. Any person may request a public hearing and that hearing will be held if ADEC finds that good cause exists.

ADEC complies with Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. If you are a person with a disability who may need a special accommodation in order to participate in this public process, please contact Julia Schweminiski at (907) 269-7660 or TDD Relay Service 1-800-770-8973/TTY or dial 711 by the 15<sup>th</sup> day of this public comment period to ensure that any necessary accommodations can be provided.

Comments relevant to the draft operating permit may be submitted electronically via ADEC's public notice site at <a href="https://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/FormalComments">https://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/FormalComments</a>, or to Jonathon Rea by mail to 555 Cordova Street, Anchorage, AK 99501, or by email to jonathon.rea@alaska.gov and <a href="dec.air.comment@alaska.gov">dec.air.comment@alaska.gov</a>. Comments must be received by close of public comments period at 11:59 p.m. Alaska time on September 16, 2024. Except for comments classified under AS 46.14.520, all public comments submitted during the public comment period can be viewed at

https://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/AirPermitsApprovalsAndPublicNotices after the public comment period.