

PUBLIC NOTICE

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC)
Wastewater Discharge Authorization Program/401 Certification
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Notice of Application for State Water Quality Certification

Public Notice (PN) Date: September 17, 2021 PN Reference Number: POA-2020-00332 PN Expiration Date: October 7, 2021 Waterway: Neilson Creek

Any applicant for a federal license or permit to conduct an activity that might result in a discharge into navigable waters, in accordance with Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (CWA) of 1977 (PL95-217), also must apply for and obtain certification from the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation that the discharge will comply with the CWA, the Alaska Water Quality Standards, and other applicable State laws.

Notice is hereby given that a request for a CWA §401 Water Quality Certification of a Department of the Army Permit application, Corps of Engineers' Reference Number POA-2020-00332, Neilson Creek, has been received for the discharge of dredged and/or fill materials into waters of the United States (WOUS), including wetlands, as described below and shown on the enclosed project figures/drawings. The public notice and related project figures/drawings are also accessible from the DEC website at http://dec.alaska.gov/water/wastewater/.

<u>Applicant</u>: Peter Peel, 800 6th Street, Juneau Alaska 99801, 907-321-2074, <u>pppeel84@gmail.com</u>
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Project Name: Blacktail Mountain Estates

<u>Location</u>: The proposed activity is located within Section 8, T. 41 S., R. 67 E.; Latitude 58.323582 N., Longitude -134.498288° W.; located on Douglas Island in Juneau, Alaska.

<u>Purpose</u>: The purpose of this project is to develop 12 residential lots for the express purpose of providing housing.

<u>Project Description</u>: The applicant proposes placement of approximately 24,926 cubic yards (CY) of material into 70 acres of wetlands. The proposed project would take the existing 91-acre parcel and subdivide it into 12 (D3) residential lots of varying size.)

After reviewing the application, the Department may certify there is reasonable assurance the activity, and any discharge that might result, will comply with the CWA, the Alaska Water Quality Standards, and other applicable State laws. The Department also may deny or waive certification.

Any person desiring to comment on the project with respect to Water Quality Certification, may submit written comments to the address above or via email to dec-401cert@alaska.gov by the Public Notice site at https://water.alaskadec.commentinput.com/?id=pUKhT by public notice expiration date listed above.

All comments should include the <u>PN reference number</u> listed above <u>in the subject heading of the email</u>. Mailed comments must be postmarked on or before the expiration date of the public notice.

The permit application and associated documents are available for review. For inquires or to request copies of the documents, contact dec-401cert@alaska.gov, or call 907-269-6285.

Disability Reasonable Accommodation Notice

The State of Alaska, Department of Environmental Conservation complies with Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. If you are a person with a disability who may need special accommodation in order to participate in this public process, please contact DEC Human Resources Office at 907-465-6171 or TDD Relay Service 1-800-770-8973/TTY or dial 711 within 5 days of the expiration date of this public notice to ensure that any necessary accommodations can be provided.

