

NOTICE OF REVIEW APDES Preliminary Draft Permit

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC)
Wastewater Discharge Authorization Program
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NOTICE OF REVIEW OF AN ALASKA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (APDES) PRELIMINARY DRAFT PERMIT TO DISCHARGE TO WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES

DEC has prepared an APDES preliminary draft permit for the Alaska SeaLife Center. The Preliminary Draft Permit and associated documents are available to the applicant for a 10-day review. Following the close of the 10-day applicant review period, DEC will prepare a draft permit and fact sheet for a formal 30-day public review period. Public comments will be accepted during the formal 30-day review period. You can access the documents on DEC's Wastewater Discharge Authorization Program webpage at: https://dec.alaska.gov/water/wastewater

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Preliminary Draft Permit Review:

Start Date: March 4, 2025

End Date: March 17, 2025 11:59 PM Alaska Daylight Time

Permit Number: AK0052566

Applicant:

Seward Association for the Advancement of Marine Science Alaska SeaLife Center 301 Railway Avenue Seward, Alaska 99664

Proposed Project and Location:

Facility Activity:

Discharge of disinfected industrial wastewater from the Alaska SeaLife Center. Discharge shall occur at a daily maximum flow rate of 8.1 million gallons per day.

Discharge Location:

The Alaska SeaLife Center discharges into Resurrection Bay at latitude: 60.0989030° North and longitude: -149.4399160 West.

Mixing Zones:

No mixing zones were authorized for this permit.

Administrative Record:

The APDES preliminary draft permit, fact sheet, and associated documents are available for public review at the DEC offices located in Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, Soldotna, and Wasilla. Please contact the office of your choice to arrange for hard copies of the documents to be available for your review.

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If you would like to see any additional supporting technical documents, contact James DeMolina. The documents are also accessible from the DEC website at: https://dec.alaska.gov/water/wastewater/

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