



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 Mendenhall Wastewater Treatment Plant. 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: October 20, 2025

End Date: October 31, 2025 11:59 p.m. Alaska Standard Time

Permit No.: AK0022951

Applicant:

City and Borough of Juneau
Mendenhall Wastewater Treatment Plant
2009 Radcliffe Road
Juneau, AK 99801

Proposed Project and Location:

The discharge of secondary treated domestic wastewater from the Mendenhall Wastewater Treatment Plant. Discharge will occur at a maximum daily rate of 4.9 million gallons per day to the Mendenhall River at 58° 21' 43" North latitude 134° 35' 53" West longitude. Seasonal mixing zones are proposed for total ammonia as nitrogen, copper, zinc, dissolved oxygen, Escherichia coli bacteria, fecal coliform bacteria, temperature, and whole effluent toxicity. A five-year compliance schedule is proposed for copper.

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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