



PUBLIC NOTICE

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC)
Wastewater Discharge Authorization Program
555 Cordova Street
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AN
ALASKA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (APDES)
INDIVIDUAL PERMIT
TO DISCHARGE TO WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES**

A Fact sheet and associated documents are available for review. For inquiries or to request copies of documents, contact:

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Draft Permit Public Notice Period:

Public Notice Start Date: September 11, 2025

Public Notice Expiration Date: October 10, 2025, 11:59 p.m. Alaska Standard Time

Permit No.: AK0053392

Applicant: Ketchikan Pulp Company
Ketchikan Pulp Company Ward Cove Landfill Physical: 409 Brusich Road
Mailing: PO Box 660 Ketchikan, AK 99901

Proposed Project and Location:

The discharge of treated landfill leachate from the Ketchikan Pulp Company Ward Cove Landfill to Ward Cove and the discharge of storm water runoff from the vegetated landfill cap and surrounding area to Ward and Refuge Coves. Mixing zones are proposed for the landfill leachate (Outfall 001A) for manganese, color and whole effluent toxicity. Mixing zones are proposed for storm water: SWL4 for color, SWL6B and SWL11 for color, copper and nickel and SWL12 for color, copper, nickel and manganese.

Outfall	Receiving Waterbody	Latitude	Longitude
001A	Ward Cove	55.40416667° N	131.72916667° W
SWL4	Refuge Cove	55.40160000° N	131.74225833° W
SWL6B	Refuge Cove	55.40333889° N	131.73915000° W
SWL11	Ward Cove	55.39985278° N	131.73976667° W
SWL12	Ward Cove	55.40066389° N	131.73732500° W

Administrative Record:

The APDES 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 Marie Klingman. The documents are also accessible from the DEC website at: <https://dec.alaska.gov/water/wastewater/>

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