NPDES Permit No. IL0034622
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National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)
Permit Program

Draft Reissued NPDES Permit to Discharge into Waters of the State

Public Notice/Fact Sheet Issued By:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Bureau of Water
Division of Water Pollution Control
Permit Section
1021 North Grand Avenue East
Post Office Box 19276
Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276
217/782-0610

Name and Address of Permittee:

Reichhold, Inc.
6350 East Collins Road
Morris, Illinois 60450

Name and Address of Facility:

Reichhold, Inc.
6350 East Collins Rd.
Morris, Illinois 60450
(Grundy County)

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) has made a tentative determination to issue a NPDES permit to discharge into the waters of the state and has prepared a draft permit and associated fact sheet for the above named Permittee. The Public Notice period will begin and end on the dates indicated in the heading of this Public Notice/Fact Sheet. The last day comments will be received will be on the Public Notice period ending date unless a commentor demonstrating the need for additional time requests an extension to this comment period and the request is granted by the IEPA. Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the draft permit to the IEPA at the above address. Commentors shall provide his or her name and address and the nature of the issues proposed to be raised and the evidence proposed to be presented with regards to those issues. Commentors may include a request for public hearing. Persons submitting comments and/or requests for public hearing shall also send a copy of such comments or requests to the permit applicant. The NPDES permit and notice number(s) must appear on each comment page.

The application, engineer's review notes including load limit calculations, Public Notice/Fact Sheet, draft permit, comments received, and other documents are available for inspection and may be copied at the IEPA between 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday when scheduled by the interested person.

If written comments or requests indicate a significant degree of public interest in the draft permit, the permitting authority may, at its discretion, hold a public hearing. Public notice will be given 45 days before any public hearing. Response to comments will be provided when the final permit is issued. For further information, please call Mark E. Liska at 217/782-0610.

The applicant is engaged in the manufacture of synthetic resins and emulsions (SIC 2821). Waste water is generated from the discharge of process water, deionizer, water softener, steam boiler, and cooling tower blowdown, utility water, sanitary wastewater and stormwater runoff. Plant operation results in an average discharge of 0.060 MGD of process, non-process, and stormwater from outfall A01, 0.0081 MGD of sanitary wastewater and stormwater runoff from outfall 002, and an intermittent discharge of stormwater runoff from outfall B01.

The following modification is proposed: The average flow rates for process and non-process wastewater at outfall A01 have increased due to improved monitoring techniques. There is no increase in actual loading.

Application is made for the existing discharge(s) which are located in Grundy County, Illinois. The following information identifies the discharge point, receiving stream and stream classifications:

Outfall	Receiving Stream	Latitude	Longitude	Stream Classification	Integrity Rating
001	Illinois River	41° 23′ 32″ North	88° 18′ 14″ West	General Use	B
002	Illinois River	41° 23′ 32″ North	88° 18′ 14″ West	General Use	B

To assist you further in identifying the location of the discharge please see the attached map.

The stream segment D-10 receiving the discharge from outfall(s) 001 and 002 is on the 2012 303(d) list of impaired waters and is not a biologically significant stream on the 2008 Illinois Department of Natural Resources Publication – *Integrating Multiple Taxa in a Biological Stream Rating System*.

The following parameters have been identified as the pollutants causing impairment:

Designated Use	Potential Cause
Mercury, PCBs	Fish Consumption

The discharge(s) from the facility shall be monitored and limited at all times as follows:

Outfall: A01

	LOAD LIMITS lbs/day DAF (DMF)			CONCENTRATION LIMITS mg/L		
PARAMETER	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	REGULATION	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	REGULATION
Flow						35 IAC 309.146
pH					6.0-9.0	35 IAC 304.125
BOD_5	11	26	35 IAC 304.120(b) 40 CFR 414.41	20	40	35 IAC 304.120(b)
Total Suspended Solids	16	46	35 IAC 304.120(b) 40 CFR 414.41	25	50	35 IAC 304.120(b)
Acenaphthene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
Acrylonitrile	0.0259	0.0652	40 CFR 414.91	0.096	0.242	40 CFR 414.91
Benzene	0.0100	0.0366	40 CFR 414.91	0.037	0.136	40 CFR 414.91
Carbon Tetrachloride	0.0048	0.0102	40 CFR 414.91	0.018	0.038	40 CFR 414.91
Chlorobenzene	0.0040	0.0075	40 CFR 414.91	0.015	0.028	40 CFR 414.91
1,2,4 - Trichlorobenzene	0.0183	0.0377	40 CFR 414.91	0.068	0.140	40 CFR 414.91
Hexachlorobenzene	0.0040	0.0075	40 CFR 414.91	0.015	0.028	40 CFR 414.91
1,2 - Dichloroethane	0.0183	0.0568	40 CFR 414.91	0.068	0.211	40 CFR 414.91
1,1,1 - Trichloroethane	0.0057	0.0145	40 CFR 414.91	0.021	0.054	40 CFR 414.91
Hexachloroethane	0.0057	0.0145	40 CFR 414.91	0.021	0.054	40 CFR 414.91
1,1 - Dichloroethane	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
1,1,2 - Trichloroethane	0.0057	0.0145	40 CFR 414.91	0.021	0.054	40 CFR 414.91
Chloroethane	0.0280	0.0722	40 CFR 414.91	0.104	0.268	40 CFR 414.91
Chloroform	0.0057	0.0124	40 CFR 414.91	0.021	0.046	40 CFR 414.91
2 - Chlorophenol	0.0084	0.0264	40 CFR 414.91	0.031	0.098	40 CFR 414.91

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PARAMETER	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	REGULATION	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	REGULATION
1,2 - Dichlorobenzene	0.0207	0.0439	40 CFR 414.91	0.077	0.163	40 CFR 414.91
1,3 - Dichlorobenzene	0.0084	0.0119	40 CFR 414.91	0.031	0.044	40 CFR 414.91
1,4 - Dichlorobenzene	0.0040	0.0075	40 CFR 414.91	0.015	0.028	40 CFR 414.91
1,1 - Dichloroethylene	0.0043	0.0067	40 CFR 414.91	0.016	0.025	40 CFR 414.91
1,2 - trans-Dichloroethylene	0.0057	0.0145	40 CFR 414.91	0.021	0.054	40 CFR 414.91
2,4 - Dichlorophenol	0.0105	0.0302	40 CFR 414.91	0.039	0.112	40 CFR 414.91
1,2 - Dichloropropane	0.0412	0.0620	40 CFR 414.91	0.153	0.230	40 CFR 414.91
1,3 - Dichloropropylene	0.0078	0.0119	40 CFR 414.91	0.029	0.044	40 CFR 414.91
2,4 - Dimethylphenol	0.0048	0.0097	40 CFR 414.91	0.018	0.036	40 CFR 414.91
2,4 - Dinitrotoluene	0.0304	0.0768	40 CFR 414.91	0.113	0.285	40 CFR 414.91
2,6 - Dinitrotoluene	0.0687	0.1727	40 CFR 414.91	0.255	0.641	40 CFR 414.91
Ethylbenzene	0.0086	0.0291	40 CFR 414.91	0.032	0.108	40 CFR 414.91
Fluoranthene	0.0067	0.0183	40 CFR 414.91	0.025	0.068	40 CFR 414.91
Methylene Chloride	0.0108	0.0240	40 CFR 414.91	0.040	0.089	40 CFR 414.91
Methyl Chloride	0.0232	0.0512	40 CFR 414.91	0.086	0.190	40 CFR 414.91
Hexachlorobutadiene	0.0054	0.0132	40 CFR 414.91	0.020	0.049	40 CFR 414.91
Naphthalene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
Nitrobenzene	0.0073	0.0183	40 CFR 414.91	0.027	0.068	40 CFR 414.91
2-Nitrophenol	0.0110	0.0186	40 CFR 414.91	0.041	0.069	40 CFR 414.91
4-Nitrophenol	0.0194	0.0334	40 CFR 414.91	0.072	0.124	40 CFR 414.91
2,4 - Dinitrophenol	0.0191	0.0331	40 CFR 414.91	0.071	0.123	40 CFR 414.91
4,6 - Dinitro-o-cresol	0.0210	0.0746	40 CFR 414.91	0.078	0.277	40 CFR 414.91
Phenol	0.0040	0.0070	40 CFR 414.91	0.015	0.026	40 CFR 414.91
Bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.0277	0.0752	40 CFR 414.91	0.103	0.279	40 CFR 414.91
Di-n-butylphthalate	0.0073	0.0154	40 CFR 414.91	0.027	0.057	40 CFR 414.91
Diethylphthalate	0.0218	0.0547	40 CFR 414.91	0.081	0.203	40 CFR 414.91
Dimethylphthalate	0.0051	0.0127	40 CFR 414.91	0.019	0.047	40 CFR 414.91
Benzo(a)anthracene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
Benzo(a)pyrene	0.0062	0.0164	40 CFR 414.91	0.023	0.061	40 CFR 414.91
3,4 - Benzofluoranthene	0.0062	0.0164	40 CFR 414.91	0.023	0.061	40 CFR 414.91
Benzo(k)Fluoranthene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91

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PARAMETER	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	REGULATION	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	REGULATION
Chrysene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
Acenaphthylene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
Anthracene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
Fluorene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
Phenanthrene	0.0059	0.0159	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.059	40 CFR 414.91
Pyrene	0.0067	0.0180	40 CFR 414.91	0.025	0.067	40 CFR 414.91
Tetrachloroethylene	0.0059	0.0151	40 CFR 414.91	0.022	0.056	40 CFR 414.91
Toluene	0.0070	0.0216	40 CFR 414.91	0.026	0.080	40 CFR 414.91
Trichloroethylene	0.0057	0.0145	40 CFR 414.91	0.021	0.054	40 CFR 414.91
Vinyl Chloride	0.0280	0.0722	40 CFR 414.91	0.104	0.268	40 CFR 414.91
Chromium (Total)				Monitor Only		35 IAC 309.146
Copper (Total)				Monitor Only		35 IAC 309.146
Cyanide (Total)				Monitor Only		35 IAC 309.146
Lead (Total)				Monitor Only		35 IAC 309.146
Nickel (Total)				Monitor Only		35 IAC 309.146
Zinc (Total)				Monitor Only		35 IAC 309.146
Ammonia Nitrogen				Monitor Only		35 IAC 309.146
Oil and Grease				Monitor Only		35 IAC 309.146
Outfall: 002						
Flow						35 IAC 309.146
pH						35 IAC 304.125
Fecal Coliform					400 per 100 mL	35 IAC 304.121
BOD_5	1.4	2.7	35 IAC 304.120(b)	20	40	35 IAC 304.120(b)
Total Suspended Solids	1.7	3.4	35 IAC 304.120(b)	25	50	35 IAC 304.120(b)
Total Residual Chlorine					0.05	40 CFR 125.3

Load Limit Calculations:

A. Load limit calculations for the process wastewater parameters at outfall A01 were based on an average flow of 0.0323 MGD for Total Process Wastewater and using the formula of average flow (MGD) X concentration limit (mg/l) X 8.34 = the average or maximum load limit (lbs/day).

B. Load limit calculations for BOD_5 and Total Suspended Solids at outfall A01 were based on an average flow of 0.0323 MGD for Total

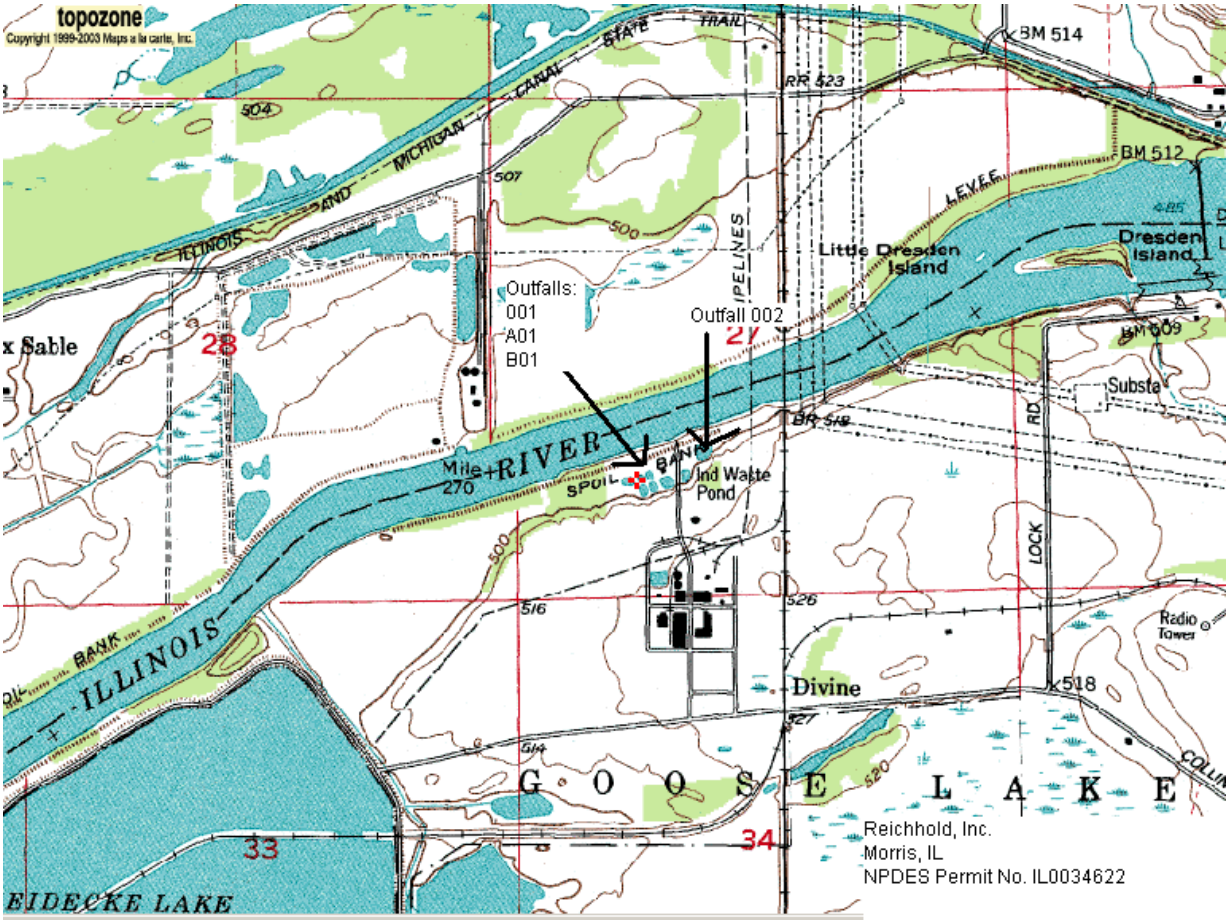
Process Wastewater 0.277 MGD for Total Non-Process Wastewater and using the formula of average flow (MGD) X concentration limit (mg/l) X 8.34 = the average or maximum load limit (lbs/day).

The load limits appearing in the permit will be the more stringent of the State and Federal Guidelines.

The following explain the conditions of the proposed permit:

Special Conditions will require monthly DMR submission, supervision by Class K Operator, explain fecal coliform limits and testing times explain general testing procedures, and define SWPPP requirements.

The load limits for all parameters at outfall A01 have increased due to the fact that the listed flow has increased. Since accurate flow data was not available during the last permit renewal, Special Condition 11 of the previous permit required that the permittee determine the influent flow rates for each waste stream tributary to Outfall 001 on a monthly average basis and to reports these results in the next application renewal. The rise in effluent flows is because of more accurate monitoring techniques and this permit is now accurately reporting what had existed under the previous permit. No changes in production have occurred and there is no actual increase in pollutant loading. The load limit increase is due to improved monitoring data and is not subject to an antidegradation assessment pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 302.105(d)(7).



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NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM

Reissued (NPDES) Permit

Expiration Date:

Issue Date:
Effective Date:

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Morris, Illinois 60450

Facility Name and Address:

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Morris, Illinois 60450
(Grundy County)

Discharge Number and Name:	Receiving Waters:
A01 – Treated Process and Miscellaneous Waste	Internal Outfall
B01 – Stormwater Runoff	Internal Outfall
001 – Combined Flow from Outfalls A01 & B01	Illinois River
002 – Treated sanitary Waste and Stormwater Runoff	Illinois River

In compliance with the provisions of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, Title 35 of Ill. Adm. Code, Subtitle C and/or Subtitle D, Chapter 1, and the Clean Water Act (CWA), the above-named permittee is hereby authorized to discharge at the above location to the above-named receiving stream in accordance with the standard conditions and attachments herein.

Permittee is not authorized to discharge after the above expiration date. In order to receive authorization to discharge beyond the expiration date, the permittee shall submit the proper application as required by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) not later than 180 days prior to the expiration date.

Alan Keller, P.E.
Manager, Permit Section
Division of Water Pollution Control

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PARAMETER	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	SAMPLE FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Outfall(s): A01 Discharge = 0.060 MGD						
Process Discharges: From Emulsion Resin Production – 0.0265 MGD From Polyester Resin Production – 0.0015 MGD From Urethane and Adhesive Production – 0.0008 MGD Stormwater (Industrial) - Avg. 0.036 MGD Total = 0.0323 MGD Non-Process Discharges: Deionizer Blowdown – 0.0027 MGD Utilities, Lab, Potable, and Misc. Wastewater – 0.0054 MGD Water Softener Blowdown – 0.00347 MGD Steam Boiler Blowdown – 0.00656 MGD Cooling Tower Blowdown – 0.00442 Well Water – 0.0036 MGD Steam condensate – 0.0015 Total = 0.0277 MGD Total Discharge: 0.060 MGD						
Flow	See Special Condition 1				Daily	Continuous
pH	See Special Condition 2				1/Month	Grab
BOD_5	11	26	20	40	1/Month	Composite
Total Suspended Solids	16	46	25	50	1/Month	Composite
Acenaphthene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Acrylonitrile	0.0259	0.0652	0.096	0.242	1/Year	Grab
Benzene	0.0100	0.0366	0.037	0.136	1/Year	Grab
Carbon Tetrachloride	0.0048	0.0102	0.018	0.038	1/Year	Grab
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1,2 - Dichloroethane	0.0183	0.0568	0.068	0.211	1/Year	Grab
1,1,1 - Trichloroethane	0.0057	0.0145	0.021	0.054	1/Year	Grab
Hexachloroethane	0.0057	0.0145	0.021	0.054	1/Year	Grab
1,1 - Dichloroethane	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
1,1,2 - Trichloroethane	0.0057	0.0145	0.021	0.054	1/Year	Grab
Chloroethane	0.0280	0.0722	0.104	0.268	1/Year	Grab
Chloroform	0.0057	0.0124	0.021	0.046	1/Year	Grab

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2 - Chlorophenol	0.0084	0.0264	0.031	0.098	1/Year	Grab
1,2 - Dichlorobenzene	0.0207	0.0439	0.077	0.163	1/Year	Grab
1,3 - Dichlorobenzene	0.0084	0.0119	0.031	0.044	1/Year	Grab
1,4 - Dichlorobenzene	0.0040	0.0075	0.015	0.028	1/Year	Grab
1,1 - Dichloroethylene	0.0043	0.0067	0.016	0.025	1/Year	Grab
1,2 - trans-Dichloroethylene	0.0057	0.0145	0.021	0.054	1/Year	Grab
2,4 Dichlorophenol	0.0105	0.0302	0.039	0.112	1/Year	Grab
1,2 - Dichloropropane	0.0412	0.0620	0.153	0.230	1/Year	Grab
1,3 - Dichloropropylene	0.0078	0.0119	0.029	0.044	1/Year	Grab
2,4 - Dimethylphenol	0.0048	0.0097	0.018	0.036	1/Year	Grab
2,4 - Dinitrotoluene	0.0304	0.0768	0.113	0.285	1/Year	Grab
2,6 - Dintrotoluene	0.0687	0.1727	0.255	0.641	1/Year	Grab
Ethylbenzene	0.0086	0.0291	0.032	0.108	1/Year	Grab
Fluoranthene	0.0067	0.0183	0.025	0.068	1/Year	Grab
Methylene Chloride	0.0108	0.0240	0.040	0.089	1/Year	Grab
Methyl Chloride	0.0232	0.0512	0.086	0.190	1/Year	Grab
Hexachlorobutadiene	0.0054	0.0132	0.020	0.049	1/Year	Grab
Naphthalene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Nitrobenzene	0.0073	0.0183	0.027	0.068	1/Year	Grab
2 - Nitrophenol	0.0110	0.0186	0.041	0.069	1/Year	Grab
4 - Nitrophenol	0.0194	0.0334	0.072	0.124	1/Year	Grab
2,4 - Dinitrophenol	0.0191	0.0331	0.071	0.123	1/Year	Grab
4,6 - Dinitro-o-cresol	0.0210	0.0746	0.078	0.277	1/Year	Grab
Phenol	0.0040	0.0070	0.015	0.026	1/Year	Grab
Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate	0.0277	0.0752	0.103	0.279	1/Year	Grab
Di-n-butyl phthalate	0.0073	0.0154	0.027	0.057	1/Year	Grab
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PARAMETER	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	SAMPLE FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Dimethylphthalate	0.0051	0.0127	0.019	0.047	1/Year	Grab
Benzo(a)anthracene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Benzo(a)pyrene	0.0062	0.0164	0.023	0.061	1/Year	Grab
3,4 - Benzo-fluoranthene	0.0062	0.0164	0.023	0.061	1/Year	Grab
Benzo(k) fluoranthene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Chrysene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Acenaphthylene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Anthracene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Fluorene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Phenanthrene	0.0059	0.0159	0.022	0.059	1/Year	Grab
Pyrene	0.0067	0.0180	0.025	0.067	1/Year	Grab
Tetrachloroethylene	0.0059	0.0151	0.022	0.056	1/Year	Grab
Toluene	0.0070	0.0216	0.026	0.080	1/Year	Grab
Trichlorethylene	0.0057	0.0145	0.021	0.054	1/Year	Grab
Vinyl Chloride	0.0280	0.0722	0.104	0.268	1/Year	Grab
Total Chromium			*	*	1/Year	Grab
Total Copper			*	*	1/Year	Grab
Total Cyanide			*	*	1/Year	Grab
Total Lead			*	*	1/Year	Grab
Total Nickel			*	*	1/Year	Grab
Total Zinc			*	*	1/Year	Grab
Ammonia Nitrogen			*	*	2/Year	Grab
Oil and Grease			*	*	1/Year	Grab
*Monitor Only						

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PARAMETER	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	30 DAY AVERAGE	DAILY MAXIMUM	SAMPLE FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Outfall: 002 – Treated Sanitary Wastewater and Stormwater Runoff (Discharge = 0.0081 MGD)						
Flow	See Special Condition 1				Daily	Continuous
pH	See Special Condition 2				1/Month	Grab
Fecal Coliform**	See Special Condition 3				1/Month	Grab
BOD_5	1.4	2.7	20	40	1/Month	Composite
Total Suspended solids	1.7	3.4	25	50	1/Month	Composite
Total Residual Chlorine***				0.05	1/Day	Grab

** The Fecal Coliform limit is effective during the months of May through October. Effluent monitoring is required only during this time.

*** Sampling is required on a daily basis only when using chlorine. Reporting shall be submitted on a monthly basis. If chlorine is not used during a calendar month, the permittee shall indicate no chlorine use on the DMR form. See also Special Condition 4

Outfall: B01**** - Stormwater Runoff (Intermittent Discharge)

****Outfall B01 falls under a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP). See Special Condition 17.

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Special Conditions

SPECIAL CONDITION 1. Flow shall be measured in units of Million Gallons per Day (MGD) and reported as a monthly average and a daily maximum on the monthly Discharge Monitoring Report.

SPECIAL CONDITION 2. The pH shall be in the range 6.0 to 9.0. The monthly minimum and monthly maximum values shall be reported on the DMR form.

SPECIAL CONDITION 3. The daily maximum fecal coliform count shall not exceed 400 per 100 ml.

SPECIAL CONDITION 4. All samples for Total Residual Chlorine shall be analyzed by an applicable method contained in 40 CFR 136, equivalent in accuracy to low-level amperometric titration. Any analytical variability of the method used shall be considered when determining the accuracy and precision of the results obtained.

SPECIAL CONDITION 5. Samples taken in compliance with the effluent monitoring requirements shall be taken at a point representative of the discharge, but prior to entry into the receiving stream.

SPECIAL CONDITION 6. The Permittee shall record monitoring results on Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) Forms using one such form for each outfall each month.

In the event that an outfall does not discharge during a monthly reporting period, the DMR Form shall be submitted with no discharge indicated.

The Permittee may choose to submit electronic DMRs (eDMRs) instead of mailing paper DMRs to the IEPA. More information, including registration information for the eDMR program, can be obtained on the IEPA website, http://www.epa.state.il.us/water/edmr/index.html.

The completed Discharge Monitoring Report forms shall be submitted to IEPA no later than the 15th day of the following month, unless otherwise specified by the permitting authority.

Permittees not using eDMRs shall mail Discharge Monitoring Reports with an original signature to the IEPA at the following address:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Division of Water Pollution Control
1021 North Grand Avenue East
Post Office Box 19276
Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276

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SPECIAL CONDITION 7. If an applicable effluent standard or limitation is promulgated under Sections 301(b)(2)(C) and (D), 304(b)(2), and 307(a)(2) of the Clean Water Act and that effluent standard or limitation is more stringent than any effluent limitation in the permit or controls a pollutant not limited in the NPDES Permit, the Agency shall revise or modify the permit in accordance with the more stringent standard or prohibition and shall so notify the permittee.

SPECIAL CONDITION 8. The use or operation of this facility shall be by or under the supervision of a Certified Class K operator.

SPECIAL CONDITION 9. All yearly sampling shall be performed in March with the results of the analysis submitted on the DMR for the month of March, to be submitted to the Agency by April 15.

SPECIAL CONDITION 10. The provisions of 40 CFR 122.41(m) and (n) are applicable to the permit.

SPECIAL CONDITION 11. The permittee shall determine the influent flow rates for each waste stream tributary to Outfall 001 on a monthly average basis. Results of this study shall be submitted with the renewal application for this permit.

SPECIAL CONDITION 12. There shall be no discharge of non-complexed metal-bearing wastestreams and/or cyanide-bearing waste streams unless the permit is modified to allow the new discharge. Such modification would be subject to public notice.

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SPECIAL CONDITION 13. The Agency has determined that, for outfall A01 only, the effluent limitations in this permit constitute BAT/BCT for storm water which is treated in the existing treatment facilities for purposes of this permit reissuance, and no pollution prevention plan will be required for such storm water. In addition to the chemical specific monitoring required elsewhere in this permit, the permittee shall conduct an annual inspection of the facility site to identify areas contributing to a storm water discharge associated with industrial activity, and determine whether any facility modifications have occurred which result in previously-treated storm water discharges no longer receiving treatment. If any such discharges are identified the permittee shall request a modification of this permit within 30 days after the inspection. Records of the annual inspection shall be retained by the permittee for the term of this permit and be made available to the Agency on request.

SPECIAL CONDITION 14. The Agency may modify this permit during its term to revise the Effluent Limitations and monitoring requirements listed in this permit, if more stringent limitations are required based upon water quality criteria contained in 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 302. Modification under this condition shall follow public notice and opportunity for hearing.

SPECIAL CONDITION 15. Testing for toxic pollutants under outfall A01 shall be performed using analytical test methods approved under 40 CFR 136 or other approved procedures. Laboratory results shall be reported on the DMRs in units of mg/L down to analytical detection limits which shall be comparable with the method detection limits in the 40 CFR 136 regulations.

SPECIAL CONDITION 16. The permittee may bypass wastewater treatment processes as long as there is no discharge of process wastewater categorized under 40 CFR 414 including, but not limited to, emulsion resins, polyester resins, and urethanes and adhesives. The permittee must notify the IEPA Des Plaines Regional Office and the Industrial Permit Section located in Springfield prior to bypassing the wastewater treatment system.

SPECIAL CONDITION 17.

STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN (SWPPP) for Outfall B01

A. A storm water pollution prevention plan shall be maintained by the permittee for the storm water associated with industrial activity at this facility. The plan shall identify potential sources of pollution which may be expected to affect the quality of storm water discharges associated with the industrial activity at the facility. In addition, the plan shall describe and ensure the implementation of practices which are to be used to reduce the pollutants in storm water discharges associated with industrial activity at the facility and to assure compliance with the terms and conditions of this permit. The permittee shall modify the plan if substantive changes are made or occur affecting compliance with this condition.

    1. Waters not classified as impaired pursuant to Section 303(d) of the Clean Water Act.

       Unless otherwise specified by federal regulation, the storm water pollution prevention plan shall be designed for a storm event equal to or greater than a 25-year 24-hour rainfall event.

    2. Waters classified as impaired pursuant to Section 303(d) of the Clean Water Act

       For any site which discharges directly to an impaired water identified in the Agency's 303(d) listing, and if any parameter in the subject discharge has been identified as the cause of impairment, the storm water pollution prevention plan shall be designed for a storm event equal to or greater than a 25-year 24-hour rainfall event. If required by federal regulations, the storm water pollution prevention plan shall adhere to a more restrictive design criteria.

B. The operator or owner of the facility shall make a copy of the plan available to the Agency at any reasonable time upon request.

   Facilities which discharge to a municipal separate storm sewer system shall also make a copy available to the operator of the municipal system at any reasonable time upon request.

C. The permittee may be notified by the Agency at any time that the plan does not meet the requirements of this condition. After such notification, the permittee shall make changes to the plan and shall submit a written certification that the requested changes have been made. Unless otherwise provided, the permittee shall have 30 days after such notification to make the changes.

D. The discharger shall amend the plan whenever there is a change in construction, operation, or maintenance which may affect the discharge of significant quantities of pollutants to the waters of the State or if a facility inspection required by paragraph H of this condition indicates that an amendment is needed. The plan should also be amended if the discharger is in violation of any conditions of this permit, or has not achieved the general objective of controlling pollutants in storm water discharges. Amendments to the plan shall be made within 30 days of any proposed construction or operational changes at the facility, and shall be provided to the Agency for review upon request.E. The plan shall provide a description of potential sources which may be expected to add significant quantities of pollutants to storm water discharges, or which may result in non-storm water discharges from storm water outfalls at the facility. The plan shall include, at a minimum, the following items:

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1. A topographic map extending one-quarter mile beyond the property boundaries of the facility, showing: the facility, surface water bodies, wells (including injection wells), seepage pits, infiltration ponds, and the discharge points where the facility's storm water discharges to a municipal storm drain system or other water body. The requirements of this paragraph may be included on the site map if appropriate. Any map or portion of map may be withheld for security reasons.

2. A site map showing:

   i. The storm water conveyance and discharge structures;

   ii. An outline of the storm water drainage areas for each storm water discharge point;

   iii. Paved areas and buildings;

   iv. Areas used for outdoor manufacturing, storage, or disposal of significant materials, including activities that generate significant quantities of dust or particulates.

   v. Location of existing storm water structural control measures (dikes, coverings, detention facilities, etc.);

   vi. Surface water locations and/or municipal storm drain locations

   vii. Areas of existing and potential soil erosion;

   viii. Vehicle service areas;

   ix. Material loading, unloading, and access areas.

   x. Areas under items iv and ix above may be withheld from the site for security reasons.

3. A narrative description of the following:

   i. The nature of the industrial activities conducted at the site, including a description of significant materials that are treated, stored or disposed of in a manner to allow exposure to storm water;

   ii. Materials, equipment, and vehicle management practices employed to minimize contact of significant materials with storm water discharges;

   iii. Existing structural and non-structural control measures to reduce pollutants in storm water discharges;

   iv. Industrial storm water discharge treatment facilities;

   v. Methods of onsite storage and disposal of significant materials.

4. A list of the types of pollutants that have a reasonable potential to be present in storm water discharges in significant quantities. Also provide a list of any pollutant that is listed as impaired in the most recent 303(d) report.

5. An estimate of the size of the facility in acres or square feet, and the percent of the facility that has impervious areas such as pavement or buildings.

6. A summary of existing sampling data describing pollutants in storm water discharges.

F. The plan shall describe the storm water management controls which will be implemented by the facility. The appropriate controls shall reflect identified existing and potential sources of pollutants at the facility. The description of the storm water management controls shall include:

1. Storm Water Pollution Prevention Personnel - Identification by job titles of the individuals who are responsible for developing, implementing, and revising the plan.

2. Preventive Maintenance - Procedures for inspection and maintenance of storm water conveyance system devices such as oil/water separators, catch basins, etc., and inspection and testing of plant equipment and systems that could fail and result in discharges of pollutants to storm water.

3. Good Housekeeping - Good housekeeping requires the maintenance of clean, orderly facility areas that discharge storm water. Material handling areas shall be inspected and cleaned to reduce the potential for pollutants to enter the storm water conveyance system.

4. Spill Prevention and Response - Identification of areas where significant materials can spill into or otherwise enter the storm water conveyance systems and their accompanying drainage points. Specific material handling procedures, storage requirements, spill cleanup equipment and procedures should be identified, as appropriate. Internal notification procedures for spills of significant materials should be established.

5. Storm Water Management Practices - Storm water management practices are practices other than those which control the source of pollutants. They include measures such as installing oil and grit separators, diverting storm water into retention basins, etc. Based on assessment of the potential of various sources to contribute pollutants, measures to remove pollutants from storm water discharge shall be implemented. In developing the plan, the following management practices shall be considered:

   i. Containment - Storage within berms or other secondary containment devices to prevent leaks and spills from entering storm water runoff. To the maximum extent practicable storm water discharged from any area where material handling equipment or activities, raw material, intermediate products, final products, waste materials, by-products, or industrial machinery are exposed to storm water should not enter vegetated areas or surface waters or infiltrate into the soil unless adequate treatment is provided.

   ii. Oil & Grease Separation - Oil/water separators, booms, skimmers or other methods to minimize oil contaminated storm water discharges.

   iii. Debris & Sediment Control - Screens, booms, sediment ponds or other methods to reduce debris and sediment in storm water discharges.

   iv. Waste Chemical Disposal - Waste chemicals such as antifreeze, degreasers and used oils shall be recycled or disposed of in an approved manner and in a way which prevents them from entering storm water discharges.

   v. Storm Water Diversion - Storm water diversion away from materials manufacturing, storage and other areas of potential storm water contamination. Minimize the quantity of storm water entering areas where material handling equipment of activities, raw material, intermediate products, final products, waste materials, by-products, or industrial machinery are exposed to storm water using green infrastructure techniques where practicable in the areas outside the exposure area, and otherwise divert storm water away from exposure area.

   vi. Covered Storage or Manufacturing Areas - Covered fueling operations, materials manufacturing and storage areas to prevent contact with storm water.

   vii. Storm Water Reduction - Install vegetation on roofs of buildings within adjacent to the exposure area to detain and evapotranspirate runoff where precipitation falling on the roof is not exposed to contaminants, to minimize storm water runoff; capture storm water in devices that minimize the amount of storm water runoff and use this water as appropriate based on quality.

6. Sediment and Erosion Prevention - The plan shall identify areas which due to topography, activities, or other factors, have a high potential for significant soil erosion. The plan shall describe measures to limit erosion.

7. Employee Training - Employee training programs shall inform personnel at all levels of responsibility of the components and goals of the storm water pollution control plan. Training should address topics such as spill response, good housekeeping and material management practices. The plan shall identify periodic dates for such training.

8. Inspection Procedures - Qualified plant personnel shall be identified to inspect designated equipment and plant areas. A tracking or follow-up procedure shall be used to ensure appropriate response has been taken in response to an inspection. Inspections and maintenance activities shall be documented and recorded.

G. Non-Storm Water Discharge - The plan shall include a certification that the discharge has been tested or evaluated for the presence of non-storm water discharge. The certification shall include a description of any test for the presence of non-storm water discharges, the methods used, the dates of the testing, and any onsite drainage points that were observed during the testing. Any facility that is unable to provide this certification must describe the procedure of any test conducted for the presence of non-storm water discharges, the test results, potential sources of non-storm water discharges to the storm sewer, and why adequate tests for such storm sewers were not feasible.

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H. Quarterly Visual Observation of Discharges - The requirements and procedures for quarterly visual observations are applicable to all outfalls covered by this condition.

1. You must perform and document a quarterly visual observation of a storm water discharge associated with industrial activity from each outfall. The visual observation must be made during daylight hours. If no storm event resulted in runoff during daylight hours from the facility during a monitoring quarter, you are excused from the visual observations requirement for that quarter, provided you document in your records that no runoff occurred. You must sign and certify the document.

2. Your visual observation must be made on samples collected as soon as practical, but not to exceed 1 hour or when the runoff or snow melt begins discharging from your facility. All samples must be collected from a storm event discharge that is greater than 0.1 inch in magnitude and that occurs at least 72 hours from the previously measureable (greater than 0.1 inch rainfall) storm event. The observation must document: color, odor, clarity, floating solids, settled solids, suspended solids, foam, oil sheen, and other obvious indicators of storm water pollution. If visual observations indicate any unnatural color, odor, turbidity, floatable material, oil sheen or other indicators of storm water pollution, the permittee shall obtain a sample and monitor for the parameter or the list of pollutants in Part E.4.

3. You must maintain your visual observation reports onsite with the SWPPP. The report must include the observation date and time, inspection personnel, nature of the discharge (i.e., runoff or snow melt), visual quality of the storm water discharge (including observations of color, odor, floating solids, settled solids, suspended solids, foam, oil sheen, and other obvious indicators of storm water pollution), and probable sources of any observed storm water contamination.

4. You may exercise a waiver of the visual observation requirement at a facility that is inactive or unstaffed, as long as there are no industrial materials or activities exposed to storm water. If you exercise this waiver, you must maintain a certification with your SWPPP stating that the site is inactive and unstaffed, and that there are no industrial materials or activities exposed to storm water.

5. Representative Outfalls - If your facility has two or more outfalls that you believe discharge substantially identical effluents, based on similarities of the industrial activities, significant materials, size of drainage areas, and storm water management practices occurring within the drainage areas of the outfalls, you may conduct visual observations of the discharge at just one of the outfalls and report that the results also apply to the substantially identical outfall(s).

6. The visual observation documentation shall be made available to the Agency and general public upon written request.

I. The permittee shall conduct an annual facility inspection to verify that all elements of the plan, including the site map, potential pollutant sources, and structural and non-structural controls to reduce pollutants in industrial storm water discharges are accurate. Observations that require a response and the appropriate response to the observation shall be retained as part of the plan. Records documenting significant observations made during the site inspection shall be submitted to the Agency in accordance with the reporting requirements of this permit.

J. This plan should briefly describe the appropriate elements of other program requirements, including Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) plans required under Section 311 of the CWA and the regulations promulgated there under, and Best Management Programs under 40 CFR 125.100.

K. The plan is considered a report that shall be available to the public at any reasonable time upon request.

L. The plan shall include the signature and title of the person responsible for preparation of the plan and include the date of initial preparation and each amendment thereto.

M. Facilities which discharge storm water associated with industrial activity to municipal separate storm sewers may also be subject to additional requirement imposed by the operator of the municipal system.

Construction Authorization

Authorization is hereby granted to construct treatment works and related equipment that may be required by the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan developed pursuant to this permit.

This Authorization is issued subject to the following condition(s).

N. If any statement or representation is found to be incorrect, this authorization may be revoked and the permittee there upon waives all rights there under.

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O. The issuance of this authorization (a) does not release the permittee from any liability for damage to persons or property caused by or resulting from the installation, maintenance or operation of the proposed facilities; (b) does not take into consideration the structural stability of any units or part of this project; and (c) does not release the permittee from compliance with other applicable statutes of the State of Illinois, or other applicable local law, regulations or ordinances.

P. Plans and specifications of all treatment equipment being included as part of the stormwater management practice shall be included in the SWPPP.

Q. Construction activities which result from treatment equipment installation, including clearing, grading and excavation activities which result in the disturbance of one acre or more of land area, are not covered by this authorization. The permittee shall contact the IEPA regarding the required permit(s).

REPORTING

R. The facility shall submit an electronic copy of the annual inspection report to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. The report shall include results of the annual facility inspection which is required by Part I of this condition. The report shall also include documentation of any event (spill, treatment unit malfunction, etc.) which would require an inspection, results of the inspection, and any subsequent corrective maintenance activity. The report shall be completed and signed by the authorized facility employee(s) who conducted the inspection(s). The annual inspection report is considered a public document that shall be available at any reasonable time upon request.

S. The first report shall contain information gathered during the one year time period beginning with the effective date of coverage under this permit and shall be submitted no later than 60 days after this one year period has expired. Each subsequent report shall contain the previous year's information and shall be submitted no later than one year after the previous year's report was due.

T. If the facility performs inspections more frequently than required by this permit, the results shall be included as additional information in the annual report.

U. The permittee shall retain the annual inspection report on file at least 3 years. This period may be extended by request of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency at any time.

Annual inspection reports shall be mailed to the following address:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Bureau of Water
Compliance Assurance Section
Annual Inspection Report
1021 North Grand Avenue East
Post Office Box 19276
Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276

V. The permittee shall notify any regulated small municipal separate storm sewer owner (MS4 Community) that they maintain coverage under an individual NPDES permit. The permittee shall submit any SWPPP or any annual inspection to the MS4 community upon request by the MS4 community.

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