
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
Notice of Intent to Modify



Date: June 27, 2019

Permittee: TOWN OF THOMPSON
33 JEFFERSON ST
MONTICELLO, NY 12701

Facility: EMERALD GREEN-LAKE LOUISE MARIE S&W DIST
LAKE LOUISE MARIE RD
THOMPSON, NY 12742

Application ID: 3-4846-00196/00001

Permits(s) being Modified: 1 - Article 17 Titles 7 & 8 Municipal SPDES - Surface Discharge

Project is located: in THOMPSON in SULLIVAN COUNTY

Project Description:

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) is proposing a Department Initiated Modification (DIM) to the State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (SPDES) Permit NY0035645, pursuant to 6 NYCRR Part 750-1.18, and 750-1.19, the Priority Ranking System known as New York State's Environmental Benefit Permit Strategy (EBPS).

The facility receives sanitary wastewater from domestic users and provides treatment for a design flow of 0.41 MGD. The facility discharges treated wastewater via Outfall 001 to McKee Brook, a class B(T) water. Current treatment consists of: screening, equalization, activated sludge-sequential batch reactor, filter feed equalization, sand filtration, chlorination, and post aeration. Sludge is stored and hauled for processing at Kiamesha Lake WWTP.

The following changes to the permit are proposed: A new daily maximum effluent limit for Total Residual Chlorine (TRC) has been added; A Mercury Minimization program has been added; A temperature management plant has been added; and, a schedule of compliance has been added to meet the TRC limit.

As a result of the EBPS full technical review, a new five-year term is proposed. The permit includes updated forms and the latest general conditions. Details of changes are specified in the draft permit and fact sheet which may be viewed and printed from the Department web site at:

<http://www.dec.ny.gov/permits/6054.html>.

Availability of Application Documents:

Filed application documents, and Department draft permits where applicable, are available for inspection during normal business hours at the address of the contact person. To ensure timely service at the time of inspection, it is recommended that an appointment be made with the contact person.

State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) Determination

Project is an Unlisted Action and will not have a significant impact on the environment. A Negative Declaration is on file. A coordinated review was not performed.

SEQR Lead Agency None Designated

State Historic Preservation Act (SHPA) Determination

The proposed activity is not subject to review in accordance with SHPA. The permit type is exempt or the activity is being reviewed in accordance with federal historic preservation regulations.

Coastal Management

This project is not located in a Coastal Management area and is not subject to the Waterfront Revitalization and Coastal Resources Act.

Availability For Public Comment

Comments on this project must be submitted in writing to the Contact Person no later than 08/09/2019 or 30 days after the publication date of this notice, whichever is later.

Contact Person

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