

Subject: Re: Request for clarification
Date: Friday, June 12, 2020 at 2:03:09 PM Central Daylight Time
From: Schuster, Stefan
To: WLM Gary Westbrook

Our discharges would only occur on an emergency basis and are covered as such by TCEQ

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On Jun 12, 2020, at 1:35 PM, WLM Gary Westbrook <gwestbrook@posgcd.org> wrote:

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Hello Stefan,
SAWS has notified us they fall under a permit to discharge, TCEQ General Permit No. TXG670000. Does EPCOR have a permit from TCEQ to flush in the event of water quality issues?

Sincerely,
Gary Westbrook
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From: "Schuster, Stefan" <SSchuster@epcor.com>
Date: Friday, June 12, 2020 at 7:03 AM
To: Gary Westbrook <gwestbrook@posgcd.org>
Subject: RE: Request for clarification

Good morning and Happy Friday Gary,

Thank you for your note. To clarify, the minimum amount of water that the pipeline can move is 13 mgd, your memory is correct. However, at that volume the system's pumps are extremely throttled and back pressures on the pump are beyond the recommended specifications, putting tremendous risk on the equipment. My analogy is using a 1,500 HP dragster to go on a grocery store run, not a scenario we would want to see.

In addition, the water quality of the delivered water has contractual obligations for a specific target. Any variation in the delivery volume affects those values and operations have to be adjusted to meet water quality obligations. Reductions in production below 20 mgd would create water quality delivery obligation challenges and risk the integrity of the system design. Thanks again for the clarification and please let me know if that was helpful. Make it a great day,

Stefan

From: WLM Gary Westbrook <gwestbrook@posgcd.org>
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2020 5:14 PM
To: Schuster, Stefan <SSchuster@epcor.com>
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Hello Stefan,

Thank you for discussing the issue in question briefly this morning. I wanted to clarify one point we discussed. Did you tell me the minimum operational capacity for the Vista Ridge pipeline is 13 MGD?

Sincerely,
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