



WPDES PERMIT

STATE OF WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
**PERMIT TO DISCHARGE UNDER THE WISCONSIN POLLUTANT DISCHARGE
ELIMINATION SYSTEM**

Badger State Waste LLC

is permitted, under the authority of Chapter 283, Wisconsin Statutes, to discharge from a facility
located at
6588 County Road W
to

**Groundwater of the State via Landspreading on Approved Sites located primarily in Calumet, Dodge, Fond du
Lac, Outagamie, Ozaukee, Shawano, Sheboygan, Washington, and Waukesha counties**

in accordance with the effluent limitations, monitoring requirements and other conditions set
forth in this permit.

The permittee shall not discharge after the date of expiration. If the permittee wishes to continue to discharge after
this expiration date an application shall be filed for reissuance of this permit, according to Chapter NR 200, Wis.
Adm. Code, at least 180 days prior to the expiration date given below.

State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
For the Secretary

By _____
Nate Willis
Wastewater Section Manager

Date Permit Signed/Issued

PERMIT TERM: EFFECTIVE DATE – August 01, 2026

EXPIRATION DATE – July 31, 2031

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1 Influent Requirements

1.1 Sampling Point(s)

Sampling Point Designation	
Sampling Point Number	Sampling Point Location, Waste Type/Sample Contents and Treatment Description (as applicable)
701	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Grafton WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
702	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Hartford WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
703	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Slinger WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
704	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Mayville WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
705	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Randolph WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
707	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Kewaskum WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
708	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from West Bend WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
709	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Ashippun WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
710	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Jackson WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
711	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Ripon WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
712	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Port Washington WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
713	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Cedarburg Wastewater Treatment Plant (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
714	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Howards Grove Wastewater Treatment Facility (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
715	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Cedar Grove WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
716	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Poy Sippi Wastewater Treatment Facility (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
717	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Seymour Wastewater Treatment Facility (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
718	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Marshall Wastewater Treatment Facility (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
719	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Manitowoc Wastewater Treatment Facility.
720	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Sussex Wastewater Treatment Facility.
721	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Fredonia Wastewater Treatment Facility.
722	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Campbellsport Wastewater Treatment Facility (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
723	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from St. Nazianz Wastewater Treatment Facility (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
724	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Oconomowoc Wastewater Treatment Facility (Liquid Sewage Sludge)
725	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from South Milwaukee Wastewater Treatment Facility (Liquid Sewage Sludge)
726	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Newburg Wastewater Treatment Plant (Liquid Sewage Sludge)
727	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Lakeland University (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
728	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Brookfield WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge)
729	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Waupaca WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge)
730	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from New London WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge)
731	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Eden WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge)
732	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Freedom Sanitary District (Liquid Sewage Sludge)

Sampling Point Designation	
Sampling Point Number	Sampling Point Location, Waste Type/Sample Contents and Treatment Description (as applicable)
733	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Jefferson WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge)
734	Inflow to storage of liquid sewage sludge from Delafield Hartland WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge)

1.2 New Waste Stream Requirements

This section applies to any new client waste stream requested during the term of the permit. For each new waste material that was not previously identified with the permit reissuance application and approved as either a sampling point or direct outfall (or both) in this permit, the permittee shall provide to the department the information required in this subsection to identify the source and characteristics of the new waste material. The permittee shall not accept, handle, discharge to a storage structure, or land apply any new waste material until department written approval has been granted and the waste has been assigned a sampling point or outfall number (or both) by the department.

The following shall be submitted to characterize each new waste material and source that has not been identified in the permit application.

1. The proposed confidential client (if a confidentiality agreement is in place) number or name, for each new client, customer, or waste generator. If an independent trucking company is transporting waste material to the permittee's facility, then the name of this company must also be submitted. A supplement to the client confidential list, which includes client number, name, address and contact person information (email and phone number), and waste profile sheet shall be provided under separate cover.
2. The type(s) of waste material (e.g., treatment plant sewage sludge, etc.), along with a certification signed by the generator's representative indicating the waste is as described.
3. A detailed description of the treatment system, industrial process from which each individual waste material originates (if applicable), regardless of the volume of the material. Also include, if applicable: if the client has a WPDES Permit, whether or not it is a unique, short-term project (such as lagoon desludging, digester cleanout), and any other relevant information which will aid the DNR in reviewing the new clients in a timely manner.
4. SDS sheets for any specific chemicals that could be present in their original state in the waste material.
5. For each client, customer or generator, the annual volume of each waste material type anticipated to be received, the expected frequency received, volume per receipt event, and period of the year it will be received.
6. A description of the manner in which each waste material from each client, customer or waste generator will be processed and discharged under this permit, including whether the waste will be applied directly on land under this permit, or if it will be co-mingled with other wastes in a storage facility(s), and which storage facility(s) the waste may be stored in.

7. Laboratory analyses (from a certified or registered laboratory) shall be performed to characterize the chemical composition of the material. An analysis shall be performed on every waste material from each waste generator for the following:

COD, pH, TKN, Organic Nitrogen, Ammonia Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus, Chloride, and Potassium. Include 'Total Solids' for sludge and other solid or semi-solid material.

For all types of sewage sludge waste streams, also include monitoring results for: Arsenic, Cadmium, Copper, Fecal Coliform, Lead, Mercury, Molybdenum, Nickel, PFAS*, Selenium, and Zinc.

Where it is believed that waste material may contain any of the substances shown immediately below or listed in Attachment 1 of this permit analyses shall be submitted for those substances.

Arsenic, Cadmium, Copper, Fecal Coliform, Lead, Mercury, Molybdenum, Nickel, Selenium, Zinc, and Radium-226

In addition, if any waste material is received from a Primary Industry listed in Attachment 2 of this permit the results of a pollutant scan of that waste material for the applicable pollutant group shown in Attachment 2 shall be submitted. Analytical results shall be provided on a wet weight basis for liquid wastes and on a dry weight basis for sludge and other solid or semi-solid material.

8. Information that demonstrates that the land application of the waste material or the mixture of waste materials from a storage or treatment unit will be beneficial as a source of nutrients or a soil amendment or conditioner and not be detrimental to soils, crops or groundwater.
9. Verification that the new waste is not hazardous under NR 518, Wis. Adm. Code.

*Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances: See s. 2.1.3 for list of PFAS parameters to be sampled.

Based on the information provided, the department may request additional information on the quality or content of the material being proposed for storage or direct land application under this permit. Upon written approval of a new waste, the department will assign a sampling point number or outfall number (or both) for the type of waste.

Prior to land applying any new waste material from storage or direct land application, the permittee shall submit and obtain department approval of an amended management plan. The amended plan shall include the department sampling point number or outfall number (or both) that was assigned to the newly approved waste. The department's approval of the amended management plan may designate an outfall number for the land application of the waste material and require additional monitoring to protect groundwater. If additional monitoring is required by the department, the permittee shall request a permit modification.

When reporting the volume of waste received for any new clients that have not yet been added to that month's eDMR, the permittee shall report this volume in the 'comments' section. In addition to the volume, the permittee shall provide the proposed client number and the storage unit in which the waste was stored (if applicable).

1.3 Updated Characteristic Sampling Data

1.3.1 Changes to Existing Clients

The permittee shall notify the department in writing within 30 days of becoming aware of changes in the quality of waste from an approved client that may impact the type and/or characteristics of the waste that is received. Changes that may affect the quality of the client’s waste include but are not limited to: operational/process changes that affect the pollutants present in the waste, problems with the client’s treatment technologies, updated treatment technologies, or changes that affect the type of waste produced. After receiving notification, the department will evaluate the change in characteristics and may require further sampling of the influent if warranted.

1.4 Monitoring Requirements

This section contains requirements for tracking all waste placed in storage. When waste from a client is received or collected and placed in a storage structure, the permittee shall monitor and record the volume of waste, the type of waste received, the storage structure that received the waste, and maintain logs as required below. On a monthly basis, the permittee shall report the volume of each type of waste that has been accepted as well as the approved sampling point number on the electronic Discharge Monitoring Report. The permittee shall comply with the following monitoring requirements.

1.4.1 Sampling Point 701 - Grafton WWTF; 702- Hartford WWTF; 703- Slinger WWTF; 704- Mayville WWTF; 705- Randolph WWTF; 707- Kewaskum WWTF; 708- West Bend WWTF; 709- Ashippun WWTF; 710- Jackson WWTF; 711- Ripon WWTF; 712- Port Washington; 713- Cedarburg; 714- Howards Grove; 715- Cedar Grove WWTF; 716- Poy Sippi WWTF; 717- Seymour WWTF; 718- Marshall WWTF; 719- Manitowoc WWTF; 720- Sussex WWTF; 721- Fredonia WWTF; 722- Campbellsport WWTF; 723- St. Nazianz WWTF; 724- Oconomowoc WWTF; 725- South Milwaukee WWTF; 726- Newburg WWTP; 727- Lakeland University WWTF; 728- Brookfield WWTF; 729- Waupaca WWTF; 730-New London WWTF; 731-Eden WWTF; 732-Freedom Sanitary District; 733-Jefferson WWTF; and 734-Delafield Hartland WWTF

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Sewage Liquid Sludge		gal/month	Monthly	Estimated	

1.4.2 Influent Monitoring Requirements – Discharge to Storage

The permittee shall record and maintain a daily log of the volume of waste material received for each sampling point identified in this permit, and all subsequent sampling points approved during this permit term and discharged to a storage unit. The log shall include a record of the client name, the type of waste, the volume and any characterization of the waste, the date of addition and to which storage or treatment unit it was discharged. For each truck load received from a new waste generator that does not have an established contract with the permittee, the permittee shall obtain from its client a written verification of the waste type and maintain this as part of the records. If an independent trucking company is transporting the waste to the permittee’s facility, the name of the trucking company must also be recorded. When a truckload contains more than one type of waste, the volume of each waste type shall be noted. These logs shall be retained in accordance with 2.4.3 of this permit.

2 Land Application Requirements

2.1 Sampling Point(s)

The discharge(s) shall be limited to land application of the waste type(s) designated for the listed sampling point(s) on Department approved land spreading sites or by hauling to another facility.

Sampling Point Designation	
Sampling Point Number	Sampling Point Location, Waste Type/Sample Contents and Treatment Description (as applicable)
001	Land application of mixed liquid sewage sludges from the 500,000 gallon steel, glass-lined Marvin Rate Storage Tank. Representative sampling location is detailed in the land management plan. Location: 11N, 18E, Section 3, NW 1/4, NE 1/4 (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
004	Land application of mixed liquid sewage sludges from the 520,000 gallon steel, glass-lined Martin Biese Storage Tank. Representative sampling location is detailed in the land management plan. Location: 18N, 20E, Section 33, NW 1/4, NW 1/4 (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
005	Land application of mixed liquid sewage sludges from the 2-million gallon concrete Greg Goeller Storage Tank #1. Representative sampling location is detailed in the land management plan. Location: 11N, 18E, Section 33, SE 1/4, NW 1/4 (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
006	Land application of mixed liquid sewage sludges from the 6-million gallon concrete Greg Goeller Tank #2. Representative sampling location is detailed in the land management plan. Location: 11N, 18E, Section 33, NW 1/4, SE 1/4 (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
201	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Grafton WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
202	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Hartford WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
203	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Slinger WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
204	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Mayville WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
205	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Randolph WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
207	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Kewaskum WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
208	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from West Bend WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
209	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Ashippun WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
210	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Jackson WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
211	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Oconomowoc WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
212	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Lodi WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
213	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Port Washington WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
214	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Howards Grove WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
215	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Sussex WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
216	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Fredonia WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
218	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Waupaca WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
219	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Campbellsport WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
220	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Freedom WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
221	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Village of Black Creek WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
222	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Clintonville WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
223	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Denmark WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
224	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Seymour WWTP (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
225	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Ripon WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
226	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Hortonville WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
227	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Tigerton WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).

Sampling Point Designation	
Sampling Point Number	Sampling Point Location, Waste Type/Sample Contents and Treatment Description (as applicable)
228	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Red Granite WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
229	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Marshall WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
230	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Manitowoc WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
231	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Cedarburg WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
232	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from St. Nazianz WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
233	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Nichols WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
234	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from South Milwaukee WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
235	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Newburg Wastewater Treatment Plant (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
236	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Lakeland University (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
237	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Brookfield WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
238	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from New London WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
239	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Eden WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
240	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Jefferson WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).
241	Direct land application of liquid sewage sludge from Delafield Hartland WWTF (Liquid Sewage Sludge).

2.2 Monitoring Requirements and Limitations

The permittee shall comply with the following monitoring requirements and limitations.

2.2.1 Sampling Point (Outfall) 001 – Rate Tank; 004- Biese Tank; 005- Goeller Pit #1; 006- Goeller Pit #2

The permittee shall comply with the following monitoring requirements and limitations for these outfalls. The permittee may only apply liquid sewage sludge through these outfalls on approved sites. Additional requirements for these outfalls are included in applicable subsections below.

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Flow Rate		gal/month	Monthly	Estimated	Liquid Sewage Sludge (with Radium), regulated per ch. NR 204, Wis. Adm. Code
Solids, Total		Percent	Monthly	Composite	
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl		Percent	Monthly	Composite	
Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH ₃ -N) Total		Percent	Monthly	Composite	
Phosphorus, Total		Percent	Monthly	Composite	

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Phosphorus, Water Extractable		% of Tot P	Quarterly	Composite	
Potassium, Total Recoverable		Percent	Monthly	Composite	
pH Field		su	Monthly	Grab	
Arsenic Dry Wt	Ceiling	75 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Arsenic Dry Wt	High Quality	41 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Cadmium Dry Wt	Ceiling	85 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Cadmium Dry Wt	High Quality	39 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Copper Dry Wt	Ceiling	4,300 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Copper Dry Wt	High Quality	1,500 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Lead Dry Wt	Ceiling	840 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Lead Dry Wt	High Quality	300 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Mercury Dry Wt	Ceiling	57 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Mercury Dry Wt	High Quality	17 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Molybdenum Dry Wt	Ceiling	75 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Nickel Dry Wt	Ceiling	420 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Nickel Dry Wt	High Quality	420 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Selenium Dry Wt	Ceiling	100 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Selenium Dry Wt	High Quality	100 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Zinc Dry Wt	Ceiling	7,500 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Zinc Dry Wt	High Quality	2,800 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Fecal Coliform	Geometric Mean - Monthly	2,000,000 MPN/g TS	Annual	Grab	
Radium 226 Dry Wt		pCi/g	Annual	Composite	
PFOA + PFOS		µg/kg	Annual	Calculated	
PFAS Dry Wt			Annual	Grab	Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances based on updated DNR PFAS List. See PFAS Permit Sections for more information.

2.2.1.1 Daily Land Application Log

Daily Land Application Log		
Discharge Monitoring Requirements and Limitations		
The permittee shall maintain a daily land application log for biosolids land applied each day when land application occurs. The following minimum records must be kept, in addition to all analytical results for the biosolids land applied. The log book records shall form the basis for the annual land application report requirements.		
Parameters	Units	Sample Frequency
Date	Date	Daily as used
DNR Site Number(s)	Number	Daily as used
Outfall number applied	Number	Daily as used
Acres applied	Acres	Daily as used
Amount applied	As appropriate * /day	Daily as used
Application rate per acre	unit */acre	Daily as used
Nitrogen applied per acre	lb/acre	Daily as used
Method of Application	Injection, Incorporation, or surface applied	Daily as used

*gallons, cubic yards, dry US Tons or dry Metric Tons

2.2.1.2 Land Application from Storage

Prior to any land application from a storage or treatment unit, representative sample results shall be available from the storage or treatment unit for the parameters shown in the monitoring table for the respective outfalls. During land application, samples shall be collected and analyzed for the parameters at the frequency shown in the monitoring table for the respective outfalls, or as modified for new waste material in an approved management plan. The most recent analytical data shall be used to establish land application rates to ensure compliance with permit limits. Sampling procedures shall be addressed in the approved management plan.

2.2.1.3 Sludge Monitoring for PFAS

Sampling shall occur for perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl compounds (PFAS) listed in the table below and as indicated in sampling point sections above. Monitoring shall occur at each sample point when sludge is generated regardless of the end use (i.e. land applied, hauled to another facility, landfilled).

PERFLUOROALKYLCARBOXILIC Acids (PFCAs)	
PFBA	Perfluorobutanoic acid
PFPeA	Perfluroropentanoic acid
PFHxA	Perfluorohexanoic acid
PFHpA	Perfluoroheptanoic acid
PFOA	Perfluorooctanoic acid
PFNA	Perfluorononanoic acid
PFDA	Perfluorodecanoic acid
PFUnA	Perfluroroundecanoic acid

PFD _o A	Perfluorododecanoic acid
PFT _r DA	Perfluorotridecanoic acid
PFT _e DA	Perfluorotetradecanoic acid
PERFLUOROALKYLSULFONIC Acids (PFSAs)	
PFBS	Perfluorobutane sulfonic acid
PFP _e S	Perfluroropentane sulfonic acid
PFH _x S	Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid
PFH _p S	Perfluoroheptane sulfonic acid
PFOS	Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid
PFNS	Perfluorononane sulfonic acid
PFDS	Perfluorodecane sulfonic acid
PFD _o S	Perfluorododecane sulfonic acid
TELOMER SULFONIC Acids	
4:2FTSA	<i>1H,1H,2H,2H</i> -Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid
6:2FTSA	<i>1H,1H,2H,2H</i> -Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid
8:2FTSA	<i>1H,1H,2H,2H</i> -Perfluorodecane sulfonic acid
PERFLUOROOCETANESULFONAMIDES (FOSAs)	
PFOSA	Perflurorooctane sulfonamide
NMeFOSA	N-Methyl perfluorooctane sulfonamide
NEtFOSA	N-Ethyl perfluorooctane sulfonamide
PERFLUOROOCETANESULFONAMIDOACETIC Acids	
NMeFOSAA	N-Methyl perfluorooctane sulfonamidoacetic acid
NEtFOSAA	N-Ethyl perfluorooctane sulfonamidoacetic acid
NATIVE PERFLUOROOCETANESULFONAMIDOETHANOLS (FOSEs)	
NMeFOSE	N-Methyl perfluorooctane sulfonamidoethanol
NEtFOSE	N-Ethyl perfluorooctane sulfonamidoethanol
PERFLUOROALKYLETHERCARBOXYLIC Acids (PFECAs)	
HFPO-DA	Hexafluoropropylene oxide dimer acid
ADONA	4,8-dioxa-3 <i>H</i> -perfluorononanoic acid
PFMPA	Perfluoro-3-methoxypropanoic acid
PFMBA	Perfluoro-4-methoxybutanoic acid
NFDHA	Nonafluoro-3,6-dioxaheptaonic acid
CHLORO-PERFLUOROALKYLSULFONATE	
9Cl-PF3ONS	9-chlorohexadecafluoro-3-oxanone-1-sulfonic acid
11Cl-PF3OUdS	11-chloroelcosafluoro-3-oxaundecane-1-sulfonic acid
PFEESA	Perfluroro(2-ethoxyethane)sulfonic acid
TELOMER SULFONIC Acids	
3:3FTCA	3-Perfluoropropyl propanoic acid
5:3FTCA	<i>2H,2H,3H,3H</i> -Perfluorooctanoic acid
7:3FTCA	3-Perfluoroheptyl propanoic acid

Note: If WDNR Lab Certification removes a particular compound from the reporting list above and upon receiving written communication from the department, reporting for that compound is no longer required.

2.2.1.4 Sampling and Reporting Sludge Samples for PFAS

Representative sludge samples shall be collected at each sample point as listed. At minimum, liquid sludge storage/digesters should be thoroughly mixed prior to sampling.

Note: If additional equipment is used for collecting sludge samples (i.e., shovels, compositing buckets, bottles, etc.), then a one-time equipment blank is recommended to be collected with the first sample. An equipment blank sample is collected by passing laboratory verified PFAS-free water over or through field sampling equipment before the collection of a representative sludge sample. The equipment blank result shall be reported on the annual Sludge Characteristics Form (3400-049) in the comment section when reporting PFAS concentrations in the sludge.

The permittee shall report each of the PFAS sludge monitoring results on the annual Sludge Characteristics and Monitoring Form (3400-049) as provided by the department. The permittee shall also report the summation of PFOS and PFOA on this same form. All results shall be reported in dry weight. The annual Sludge Characteristics and Monitoring Form (3400-049) are due January 31, of the year following the collection of the sludge samples.

The laboratory performing the analysis on any samples shall be certified for the applicable PFAS compounds in the solids matrix by the Wisconsin Laboratory Certification Program established under s. 299.11, Wis. Stats., and in accordance with s. NR 149.41, Wis. Adm. Code. The department may reject any sample results if results are produced by a laboratory that is not in compliance with certification requirements under ch. NR 149, Wis. Adm. Code.

2.2.1.5 PFAS Land Application

The department recommends the landspreading and/or land application of sludge be done in a manner consistent with the most recent version of the [“Interim Strategy for Land Application of Biosolids and Industrial Sludges containing PFAS”](#).

2.2.1.6 Other Land Application Requirements

See sections 2.3 and 2.4 below for other land application requirements.

2.2.2 Sampling Point (Outfall) 201 - DLA: Grafton WWTF; 202- DLA: Hartford WWTF; 203- DLA: Slinger WWTF; 204- DLA: Mayville WWTF; 205- DLA: Randolph WWTF; 207- DLA: Kewaskum WWTF; 208- DLA: West Bend WWTF; 210- DLA: Jackson WWTF; 211- DLA: Oconomowoc WWTF; 212- DLA: Lodi WWTF; 213- DLA: Port Washington WWTF; 214- DLA: Howards Grove WWTF; 216- DLA: Fredonia WWTF; 218- DLA: Waupaca WWTF; 220- DLA: Freedom WWTF; 222- DLA: Clintonville WWTF; 223- DLA: Denmark WWTF; 226- DLA: Hortonville WWTF; 227- DLA: Tigerton WWTF; 228- DLA: Red Granite WWTF; 229- DLA: Marshall WWTF; 230- DLA: Manitowoc WWTF; 231- DLA: Cedarburg WWTF; 232- DLA: St. Nazianz WWTF; 233- DLA: Nichols WWTF; 234- DLA: South Milwaukee WWTF; 235- DLA: Newburg WWTF; 236- DLA: Lakeland University; 237- DLA: Brookfield WWTF; 238- DLA: New London WWTF; 239- DLA: Eden WWTF; and 240- DLA: Jefferson WWTF

The permittee shall comply with the monitoring requirements and limitations and other applicable sections below for the listed outfalls and for other direct land application (sewage sludge) outfalls approved by the department during the term of the permit. The permittee may not directly apply any sewage sludge under this permit unless department approval has been granted with a designated outfall.

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Flow Rate		gal/month	Monthly	Estimated	Liquid Sewage Sludge regulated per ch. NR 204, Wis. Adm. Code
Solids, Total		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH ₃ -N) Total		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
Phosphorus, Total		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
Phosphorus, Water Extractable		% of Tot P	Quarterly	Composite	
Potassium, Total Recoverable		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
pH Field		su	Quarterly	Grab	
Arsenic Dry Wt	Ceiling	75 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Arsenic Dry Wt	High Quality	41 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Cadmium Dry Wt	Ceiling	85 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Cadmium Dry Wt	High Quality	39 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Copper Dry Wt	Ceiling	4,300 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Copper Dry Wt	High Quality	1,500 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Lead Dry Wt	Ceiling	840 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Lead Dry Wt	High Quality	300 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Mercury Dry Wt	Ceiling	57 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Mercury Dry Wt	High Quality	17 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Molybdenum Dry Wt	Ceiling	75 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Nickel Dry Wt	Ceiling	420 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Nickel Dry Wt	High Quality	420 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Selenium Dry Wt	Ceiling	100 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Selenium Dry Wt	High Quality	100 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Zinc Dry Wt	Ceiling	7,500 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Zinc Dry Wt	High Quality	2,800 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Fecal Coliform	Geometric Mean - Monthly	2,000,000 MPN/g TS	Annual	Grab	

2.2.2.1 Daily Land Application Log

Daily Land Application Log		
Discharge Monitoring Requirements and Limitations		
<p>The permittee shall maintain a daily land application log for biosolids land applied each day when land application occurs. The following minimum records must be kept, in addition to all analytical results for the biosolids land applied. The log book records shall form the basis for the annual land application report requirements.</p>		
Parameters	Units	Sample Frequency
Date	Date	Daily as used
DNR Site Number(s)	Number	Daily as used
Outfall number applied	Number	Daily as used
Acres applied	Acres	Daily as used
Amount applied	As appropriate * /day	Daily as used
Application rate per acre	unit */acre	Daily as used
Nitrogen applied per acre	lb/acre	Daily as used
Method of Application	Injection, Incorporation, or surface applied	Daily as used

* gallons, cubic yards, dry US Tons or dry Metric Tons

2.2.2.2 Direct Land Application

Representative samples shall be taken of the waste material from each direct application outfall at least quarterly during which land application occurs. The samples shall be analyzed for the parameters at the frequency specified in Table 2.2.2. Prior to discharge of waste to approved sites, or to an approved manure storage structure, the permittee shall provide in writing to the owner of the site and/or manure storage structure the most recent data from any required monitoring and the volume of waste to be discharged.

2.2.2.2 Other Land Application Requirements

See sections 2.3 and 2.4 below for other land application requirements.

2.2.3 Sampling Point (Outfall) 209 - DLA: Ashippun WWTF; 215- DLA: Sussex WWTF; 219- DLA: Campbellsport WWTF; 221- DLA: Black Creek WWTF; 224- DLA: Seymour WWTF; 225- DLA: Ripon WWTF, and 241- DLA: Delafield Hartland WWTF

The permittee shall comply with the monitoring requirements and limitations and other applicable sections below for the listed outfalls and for other direct land application (sewage sludge) outfalls approved by the department during the term of the permit. The permittee may not directly apply any sewage sludge under this permit unless department approval has been granted with a designated outfall.

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Flow Rate		gal/month	Monthly	Estimated	Liquid Sewage Sludge (with Radium) regulated per ch. NR 204, Wis. Adm. Code
Solids, Total		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH ₃ -N) Total		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
Phosphorus, Total		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
Phosphorus, Water Extractable		% of Tot P	Quarterly	Composite	
Potassium, Total Recoverable		Percent	Quarterly	Composite	
pH Field		su	Quarterly	Grab	
Arsenic Dry Wt	Ceiling	75 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Arsenic Dry Wt	High Quality	41 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Cadmium Dry Wt	Ceiling	85 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Cadmium Dry Wt	High Quality	39 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Copper Dry Wt	Ceiling	4,300 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Copper Dry Wt	High Quality	1,500 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Lead Dry Wt	Ceiling	840 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Lead Dry Wt	High Quality	300 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Mercury Dry Wt	Ceiling	57 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Mercury Dry Wt	High Quality	17 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Molybdenum Dry Wt	Ceiling	75 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Nickel Dry Wt	Ceiling	420 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Nickel Dry Wt	High Quality	420 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Selenium Dry Wt	Ceiling	100 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Selenium Dry Wt	High Quality	100 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Zinc Dry Wt	Ceiling	7,500 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Zinc Dry Wt	High Quality	2,800 mg/kg	Quarterly	Composite	
Fecal Coliform	Geometric Mean - Monthly	2,000,000 MPN/g TS	Annual	Grab	
Radium 226 Dry Wt		pCi/g	Annual	Composite	

2.2.3.1 Daily Land Application Log

Daily Land Application Log		
Discharge Monitoring Requirements and Limitations		
<p>The permittee shall maintain a daily land application log for biosolids land applied each day when land application occurs. The following minimum records must be kept, in addition to all analytical results for the biosolids land applied. The log book records shall form the basis for the annual land application report requirements.</p>		
Parameters	Units	Sample Frequency
Date	Date	Daily as used
DNR Site Number(s)	Number	Daily as used
Outfall number applied	Number	Daily as used
Acres applied	Acres	Daily as used
Amount applied	As appropriate * /day	Daily as used
Application rate per acre	unit */acre	Daily as used
Nitrogen applied per acre	lb/acre	Daily as used
Method of Application	Injection, Incorporation, or surface applied	Daily as used

*gallons, cubic yards, dry US Tons or dry Metric Tons

2.2.3.2 Direct Land Application

Representative samples shall be taken of the waste material from each direct application outfall at least quarterly during which land application occurs. The samples shall be analyzed for the parameters at the frequency specified in Table 2.2.3. Prior to discharge of waste to approved sites the permittee shall provide in writing to the owner of the site the most recent data from any required monitoring and the volume of waste to be discharged.

2.2.3.3 Other Land Application Requirements

See sections 2.3 and 2.4 below for other land application requirements.

2.3 Sewage Sludge Land Application Requirements

2.3.1.1 Nitrogen Loading Requirements for Municipal Sludge

All sludge management activities shall be conducted in compliance with ch. NR 204 Wis. Adm. Code, “Domestic Sewage Sludge Management”. See NR 204.07(8) “Application Rates”.

2.3.2 Sludge Management

All sludge management activities shall be conducted in compliance with Ch. NR 204 “Domestic Sewage Sludge Management”, Wis. Adm. Code.

2.3.3 Winter Land Application Prohibition

Land application of material containing municipal sludge on frozen or snow-covered soils is prohibited.

2.3.4 Sludge Which Exceeds the Ceiling Limit

Land application is not permitted if any of the Ceiling limits shown in the ‘Monitoring Requirements and Limitations’ table are exceeded.

2.3.5 Sludge Which Exceeds the High-Quality Limit

If the High-Quality Limit is exceeded for any parameter, the permittee shall not exceed the Lifetime Cumulative Metal Loading Limit for the parameters shown in the ‘Lifetime Cumulative Metal Loadings’ table below. Cumulative pollutant loading records shall be kept for all land application of sludge which does not meet the High-Quality Limit for any parameter. This requirement applies for the entire calendar year in which any exceedance of the High-Quality Limit occurs. Such loading records shall be kept for all parameters shown in the ‘Lifetime Cumulative Metal Loadings’ table for each site on which land application occurs in that calendar year. The formula to be used for calculating cumulative loading is as follows:

$$[(\text{Pollutant concentration (mg/kg)} \times \text{dry tons applied/ac}) \div 500] + \text{previous loading (lbs/acre)} = \text{cumulative lbs pollutant per acre}$$

When a site reaches 90% of the allowable cumulative loading for any metal shown in the ‘Lifetime Cumulative Metal Loadings’ table, the department shall be so notified through letter or in the comment section of the annual land application report (3400-55).

Lifetime Cumulative Metal Loadings (for Municipal Sludge)	
Metal	Limit (lbs/Acre)
Arsenic	36
Cadmium	34
Copper	1339
Lead	268

Mercury	15
Nickel	375
Selenium	89

2.3.5.1 Lists 1, 2, 3, and 4

<p>List 1 TOTAL SOLIDS AND METALS</p> <p>See the Monitoring Requirements and Limitations table above for monitoring frequency and limitations for the List 1 parameters</p>
Solids, Total (percent)
Arsenic, mg/kg (dry weight)
Cadmium, mg/kg (dry weight)
Copper, mg/kg (dry weight)
Lead, mg/kg (dry weight)
Mercury, mg/kg (dry weight)
Molybdenum, mg/kg (dry weight)
Nickel, mg/kg (dry weight)
Selenium, mg/kg (dry weight)
Zinc, mg/kg (dry weight)

<p>List 2 NUTRIENTS</p> <p>See the Monitoring Requirements and Limitations table above for monitoring frequency for the List 2 parameters</p>
Solids, Total (percent)
Nitrogen Total Kjeldahl (percent)
Nitrogen Ammonia (NH ₃ -N) Total (percent)
Phosphorus Total as P (percent)
Phosphorus, Water Extractable (as percent of Total P)
Potassium Total Recoverable (percent)

List 3		
PATHOGEN CONTROL FOR CLASS B SLUDGE		
The permittee shall implement pathogen control as listed in List 3. The Department shall be notified of the pathogen control utilized and shall be notified when the permittee decides to utilize alternative pathogen control.		
The following requirements shall be met prior to land application of sludge.		
Parameter	Unit	Limit
Fecal Coliform *	MPN/gTS or CFU/gTS	2,000,000
OR, ONE OF THE FOLLOWING PROCESS OPTIONS		
Aerobic Digestion	Air Drying	
Anaerobic Digestion	Composting	
Alkaline Stabilization	PSRP Equivalent Process	
* The Fecal Coliform limit shall be reported as the geometric mean of 7 discrete samples on a dry weight basis.		

List 4		
VECTOR ATTRACTION REDUCTION		
The permittee shall implement any one of the vector attraction reduction options specified in List 4. The Department shall be notified of the option utilized and shall be notified when the permittee decides to utilize an alternative option.		
One of the following shall be satisfied prior to, or at the time of land application as specified in List 4.		
Option	Limit	Where/When it Shall be Met
Volatile Solids Reduction	≥38%	Across the process
Specific Oxygen Uptake Rate	≤1.5 mg O ₂ /hr/g TS	On aerobic stabilized sludge
Anaerobic bench-scale test	<17 % VS reduction	On anaerobic digested sludge
Aerobic bench-scale test	<15 % VS reduction	On aerobic digested sludge
Aerobic Process	>14 days, Temp >40°C and Avg. Temp > 45°C	On composted sludge
pH adjustment	>12 S.U. (for 2 hours) and >11.5 (for an additional 22 hours)	During the process
Drying without primary solids	>75 % TS	When applied or bagged
Drying with primary solids	>90 % TS	When applied or bagged
Equivalent Process	Approved by the Department	Varies with process
Injection	-	When applied
Incorporation	-	Within 6 hours of application

2.4 Other Land Application Requirements

2.4.1 Reauthorization of Land Application Sites

Prior to the first use during the term of the reissued permit of a previously-approved site, the permittee shall notify the Department Basin Representative of its intent to apply wastes to the site. The permittee shall provide information on any changes in the site characteristics since the previous approval. The permittee shall not use the site until an updated approval is provided by the department. In the event the department does not approve or deny the use of the site within 7 business days after notification of its intent to use the site, the permittee may apply waste to the site under the

conditions of its previous approval, pending further action by the department. Upon notification by department staff of the unacceptability of a site, the permittee shall immediately discontinue use of the site.

2.4.2 Record Keeping and Reporting

The permittee shall maintain records consisting of the volume, application rate, date of application and any characterizations of waste land applied to each approved land application site (by Outfall and site number) and land application daily logs. With the exception of wastes containing municipal sludge for which records must be retained for a minimum of 5 years, the permittee shall retain the original daily logs and sample results for a period of at least 3 years. This information shall be made available to department staff for inspection upon request.

The permittee shall maintain as part of the records any written waste verification required pursuant to the subsection titled ‘Monitoring Requirements – Discharge to Storage’.

For each load, the permittee shall obtain from its client a written certification of the waste type discharged to storage or directly to land application and maintain this as part of the records.

Land application monitoring results shall be provided to the department by submitting a LAMP Form 3400-49 for each designated outfall no later than the 21 days after the end of the specified reporting period during which the samples were taken. These forms shall be submitted electronically in accordance with the e-reporting instructions at <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/wastewater/documents/3400-049instructions.pdf> . If no discharge occurs during a specified reporting period, the permittee shall indicate on the reporting form that no land application occurred during that period.

Annual 3400-55 forms shall be submitted electronically in accordance with the e-reporting instructions at <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/wastewater/documents/3400-055instructions.pdf> and include the sum of each month’s activity.

2.4.3 Operating Requirements And Management Plan

All land application sites used for treatment of liquid wastes, by-product solids and sludge shall be operated in accordance with a department-approved management plan. The management plan shall be consistent with the requirements of this permit. The management plan shall also be consistent with the municipal requirements of s. NR 204.11(1), Wis. Adm. Code, as applicable. To ensure this consistency, the management plan shall address:

- the information identified in s. NR 204.07
- record keeping and maintenance, including responsible individuals;
- a full description of calculations used to determine appropriate application rates and loadings delivered to land application sites;
- tracking of site loading;
- the method for reporting monthly land application loadings from each outfall;
- notification and mitigation procedures for handling wastes that deviate from those anticipated;
- spill mitigation and notification procedures;
- odor control;
- sampling methods, procedures, and locations;
- and other information determined relevant to protect public health and the waters of the state

The management plan shall also describe waste acceptance procedures which ensure that waste material placed in storage have characteristics and volume similar to those contained in the permit application and authorized by this permit and that such waste materials contain no characteristics that could be reasonably expected to prevent compliance with this permit. These procedures may include representative sampling and analysis for pH, TKN, Organic Nitrogen, Ammonia Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus, and Potassium. Also, Total Solids, Arsenic, Cadmium, Copper, Fecal Coliform, Lead, Mercury, Molybdenum, Nickel, Selenium, Zinc, Radium 226, and PFAS for sludge and other solid or semi-solid material.

The department shall be notified prior to any land application of waste material from a storage tank, lagoon or pad. The management plan shall contain a description of the manner by which this notification will occur. All such notifications shall occur at a reasonable time prior to the land application event and shall include a list of sites anticipated for use during those events. Similar procedures shall be described for direct land application events so department staff are aware of what will be applied and when it will be applied.

A new or updated land application management plan shall be submitted for approval at least 60 days prior to land application for new permits and within 60 days after reissuance for existing permits. If operational changes are needed, the land application management plan shall be amended by submitting a written request to the department for approval of such amendments.

2.4.4 Monthly & Quarterly Reporting - Characteristic Form 3400-49

Where the sampling frequency is monthly for a parameter, report that value on the Monthly Characteristic Form 3400-49. The monitoring results shall be provided monthly for the monthly monitoring results and quarterly for quarterly monitoring results. Results shall be reported to the department by submitting Form 3400-49 no later than the 21st of the month following the calendar month or calendar quarter respectively during which the samples were taken. These forms shall be submitted electronically. If no discharge occurs during a calendar month, the permittee shall indicate on the reporting form that no discharge occurred, and no sampling is required during that month.

2.4.5 Operational Changes

The department may modify this permit if the volume of waste discharged through any of the outfalls substantially increases to a point at which more frequent monitoring is deemed necessary by the department to obtain representative samples of the discharge.

3 Schedules

3.1 Sludge Management Plan

A management plan is required for the land treatment system.

Required Action	Due Date
<p>Sludge Management Plan Update: Submit an update to the management plan to optimize the land treatment system performance and demonstrate compliance with ch. NR 204, Wis. Adm. Code. The land treatment system shall be operated in accordance with the approved management plan. Specifically, this plan shall include updated department notification procedures regarding upcoming land application events and updated procedures to ensure timely submittal of reports.</p>	10/31/2026
<p>Ongoing Management Plan Updates: Updates are to be submitted and approved by the department when changes are made in sludge management practices. All updates should contain the latest colored aerial photos available.</p>	

3.2 Tank Inspection Reports for Rate and Biese Tanks (Outfalls 001 and 004)

Required Action	Due Date
<p>Tank Inspection Reports for Rate and Biese Tanks: Within two years of the effective date of this permit, the permittee shall submit to the department an inspection report by a qualified individual assessing the structural integrity of the Rate and Biese Tanks (Outfalls 001 and 004). This report shall include images of the structure(s), along with repair recommendations (if necessary). This is to ensure the tanks continue to be appropriate for the storage of sewage sludge. The tanks shall be completely emptied of all contents prior to the inspection. The permittee shall also make any suggested repairs indicated in the inspection report prior to putting the tanks back in service.</p>	07/31/2028

4 Standard Requirements

Chapter NR 205, Wisconsin Administrative Code: The conditions in ss. NR 205.07(1) and NR 205.07(2), Wis. Adm. Code, are included by reference in this permit. The permittee shall comply with all of these requirements. Some of these requirements are outlined in the Standard Requirements section of this permit. Requirements not specifically outlined in the Standard Requirement section of this permit can be found in ss. NR 205.07(1) and NR 205.07(2), Wis. Adm. Code.

4.1 Reporting and Monitoring Requirements

4.1.1 Monitoring Results

Monitoring results obtained during the previous month shall be summarized and reported on a Department Wastewater Discharge Monitoring Report. The report may require reporting of any or all of the information specified below under 'Recording of Results'. This report is to be returned to the Department no later than the date indicated on the form. A copy of the Wastewater Discharge Monitoring Report Form or an electronic file of the report shall be retained by the permittee.

Monitoring results shall be reported on an electronic discharge monitoring report (eDMR). The eDMR shall be certified electronically by a responsible executive or municipal officer, manager, partner or proprietor as specified in s. 283.37(3), Wis. Stats., or a duly authorized representative of the officer, manager, partner or proprietor that has been delegated signature authority pursuant to s. NR 205.07(1)(g)2, Wis. Adm. Code. The 'eReport Certify' page certifies that the electronic report form is true, accurate and complete.

If the permittee monitors any pollutant more frequently than required by this permit, the results of such monitoring shall be included on the Wastewater Discharge Monitoring Report.

The permittee shall comply with all limits for each parameter regardless of monitoring frequency. For example, monthly, weekly, and/or daily limits shall be met even with monthly monitoring. The permittee may monitor more frequently than required for any parameter.

4.1.2 Sampling and Testing Procedures

Sampling and laboratory testing procedures shall be performed in accordance with Chapters NR 218 and NR 219, Wis. Adm. Code, and completed by a laboratory certified or registered in accordance with the requirements of ch. NR 149, Wis. Adm. Code. Groundwater sampling shall be performed in accordance with procedures contained in s. NR 140.16, Wis. Adm. Code, and the WDNR publications, Groundwater Sampling Desk Reference (PUBL-DG-037-96) and Groundwater Sampling Field Manual (PUBL-DG-038-96). The analytical methodologies used shall enable the laboratory to quantitate all substances for which monitoring is required at levels below the effluent limitation and/or groundwater standard. If the required level cannot be met by any of the methods available in ch. NR 219, Wis. Adm. Code, then the method with the lowest limit of detection shall be selected. Additional test procedures may be specified in this permit.

4.1.3 Recording of Results

The permittee shall maintain records which provide the following information for each effluent measurement or sample taken:

- The date, exact place, method and time of sampling or measurements;
- The individual who performed the sampling or measurements;
- The date the analysis was performed;
- The individual who performed the analysis;
- The analytical techniques or methods used; and

- The results of the analysis.

4.1.4 Reporting of Monitoring Results

The permittee shall use the following conventions when reporting effluent monitoring results:

- Pollutant concentrations less than the limit of detection shall be reported as < (less than) the value of the limit of detection. For example, if a substance is not detected at a detection limit of 0.1 mg/L, report the pollutant concentration as < 0.1 mg/L.
- Pollutant concentrations equal to or greater than the limit of detection, but less than the limit of quantitation, shall be reported and the limit of quantitation shall be specified.
- For purposes of calculating fees under ch. NR 101, Wis. Adm. Code, a reporting limit of 2.0 mg/L for BOD₅ and 2.5 mg/L Total Suspended Solids shall be considered to be limits of quantitation.
- For the purposes of reporting a calculated result, average or a mass discharge value, the permittee may substitute a “0” (zero) for any pollutant concentration that is less than the limit of detection. However, if the effluent limitation is less than the limit of detection, the department may substitute a value other than zero for results less than the limit of detection, after considering the number of monitoring results that are greater than the limit of detection and if warranted when applying appropriate statistical techniques.
- If no discharge occurs through an outfall, flow related parameters (e.g. flow rate, hydraulic application rate, volume, etc.) should be reported as “0” (zero) at the required sample frequency specified for the outfall. For example: if the sample frequency is daily, “0” would be reported for any day during the month that no discharge occurred.

4.1.5 Compliance Maintenance Annual Reports

Compliance Maintenance Annual Reports (CMAR) shall be completed using information obtained over each calendar year regarding the wastewater conveyance and treatment system. The CMAR shall be submitted and certified by the permittee in accordance with ch. NR 208, Wis. Adm. Code, by June 30, each year on an electronic report form provided by the Department.

In the case of a publicly owned treatment works, a resolution shall be passed by the governing body and submitted as part of the CMAR, verifying its review of the report and providing responses as required. Private owners of wastewater treatment works are not required to pass a resolution; but they must provide an Owner Statement and responses as required, as part of the CMAR submittal.

The CMAR shall be certified electronically by a responsible executive or municipal officer, manager, partner or proprietor as specified in s. 283.37(3), Wis. Stats., or a duly authorized representative of the officer, manager, partner or proprietor that has been delegated signature authority pursuant to s. NR 205.07(1)(g)2, Wis. Adm. Code. The certification verifies that the electronic report is true, accurate and complete.

4.1.6 Records Retention

The permittee shall retain records of all monitoring information, including all calibration and maintenance records and all original strip chart recordings or electronic data records for continuous monitoring instrumentation, copies of all reports required by the permit, and records of all data used to complete the application for the permit for a period of at least 3 years from the date of the sample, measurement, report or application. All pertinent sludge information, including permit application information and other documents specified in this permit or s. NR 204.06(9), Wis. Adm. Code shall be retained for a minimum of 5 years.

4.1.7 Other Information

Where the permittee becomes aware that it failed to submit any relevant facts in a permit application or submitted incorrect information in a permit application or in any report to the Department, it shall promptly submit such facts or correct information to the Department.

4.1.8 Reporting Requirements – Alterations or Additions

The permittee shall give notice to the Department as soon as possible of any planned physical alterations or additions to the permitted facility. Notice is only required when:

- The alteration or addition to the permitted facility may meet one of the criteria for determining whether a facility is a new source.
- The alteration or addition could significantly change the nature or increase the quantity of pollutants discharged. This notification requirement applies to pollutants which are not subject to effluent limitations in the existing permit.
- The alteration or addition results in a significant change in the permittee's sludge use or disposal practices, and such alteration, addition, or change may justify the application of permit conditions that are different from or absent in the existing permit, including notification of additional use of disposal sites not reported during the permit application process nor reported pursuant to an approved land application plan. Additional sites may not be used for the land application of sludge until department approval is received.

4.2 System Operating Requirements

4.2.1 Noncompliance Reporting

Sanitary sewer overflows and sewage treatment facility overflows shall be reported according to the 'Sanitary Sewer Overflows and Sewage Treatment Facility Overflows' section of this permit.

The permittee shall report the following types of noncompliance by a telephone call to the Department's regional office within 24 hours after becoming aware of the noncompliance:

- Any noncompliance which may endanger health or the environment;
- Any violation of an effluent limitation resulting from a bypass;
- Any violation of an effluent limitation resulting from an upset; and
- Any violation of a maximum discharge limitation for any of the pollutants listed by the Department in the permit, either for effluent or sludge.

A written report describing the noncompliance shall also be submitted to the Department's regional office within 5 days after the permittee becomes aware of the noncompliance. On a case-by-case basis, the Department may waive the requirement for submittal of a written report within 5 days and instruct the permittee to submit the written report with the next regularly scheduled monitoring report. In either case, the written report shall contain a description of the noncompliance and its cause; the period of noncompliance, including exact dates and times; the steps taken or planned to reduce, eliminate and prevent reoccurrence of the noncompliance; and if the noncompliance has not been corrected, the length of time it is expected to continue.

A scheduled bypass approved by the Department under the 'Scheduled Bypass' section of this permit shall not be subject to the reporting required under this section.

NOTE: Section 292.11(2)(a), Wisconsin Statutes, requires any person who possesses or controls a hazardous substance or who causes the discharge of a hazardous substance to notify the Department of Natural Resources **immediately** of any discharge not authorized by the permit. **The discharge of a hazardous substance that is not authorized by this permit or that violates this permit may be a hazardous substance spill. To report a hazardous substance spill, call DNR's 24-hour HOTLINE at 1-800-943-0003.**

4.2.2 Flow Meters

Flow meters shall be calibrated annually, as per s. NR 218.06, Wis. Adm. Code.

4.2.3 Raw Grit and Screenings

All raw grit and screenings shall be disposed of at a properly licensed solid waste facility or picked up by a licensed waste hauler. If the facility or hauler are located in Wisconsin, then they shall be licensed under chs. NR 500-555, Wis. Adm. Code.

4.2.4 Sludge Management

All sludge management activities shall be conducted in compliance with ch. NR 204 "Domestic Sewage Sludge Management", Wis. Adm. Code.

4.2.5 Prohibited Wastes

Under no circumstances may the introduction of wastes prohibited by s. NR 211.10, Wis. Adm. Code, be allowed into the waste treatment system. Prohibited wastes include those:

- Which create a fire or explosion hazard in the treatment work;
- Which will cause corrosive structural damage to the treatment work;
- Solid or viscous substances in amounts which cause obstructions to the flow in sewers or interference with the proper operation of the treatment work;
- Wastewaters at a flow rate or pollutant loading which are excessive over relatively short time periods so as to cause a loss of treatment efficiency; and
- Changes in discharge volume or composition from contributing industries which overload the treatment works or cause a loss of treatment efficiency.

4.2.6 Bypass

This condition applies only to bypassing at a sewage treatment facility that is not a scheduled bypass, approved blending as a specific condition of this permit, a sewage treatment facility overflow or a controlled diversion as provided in the sections titled 'Scheduled Bypass', 'Blending' (if approved), 'SSO's and Sewage Treatment Facility Overflows' and 'Controlled Diversions' of this permit. Any other bypass at the sewage treatment facility is prohibited and the Department may take enforcement action against a permittee for such occurrences under s. 283.89, Wis. Stats. The Department may approve a bypass if the permittee demonstrates all the following conditions apply:

- The bypass was unavoidable to prevent loss of life, personal injury, or severe property damage;
- There were no feasible alternatives to the bypass, such as the use of auxiliary treatment facilities or adequate back-up equipment, retention of untreated wastes, reduction of inflow and infiltration, or maintenance during normal periods of equipment downtime. This condition is not satisfied if adequate back-up equipment should have been installed in the exercise of reasonable engineering judgment to prevent a bypass which occurred during normal periods of equipment downtime or preventative maintenance. When evaluating feasibility of alternatives, the department may consider factors such as technical achievability, costs and affordability of implementation and risks to public health, the environment and, where the permittee is a municipality, the welfare of the community served; and
- The bypass was reported in accordance with the Noncompliance Reporting section of this permit.

4.2.7 Scheduled Bypass

Whenever the permittee anticipates the need to bypass for purposes of efficient operations and maintenance and the permittee may not meet the conditions for controlled diversions in the 'Controlled Diversions' section of this permit, the permittee shall obtain prior written approval from the Department for the scheduled bypass. A permittee's written request for Department approval of a scheduled bypass shall demonstrate that the conditions for bypassing specified in the above section titled 'Bypass' are met and include the proposed date and reason for the bypass, estimated volume and duration of the bypass, alternatives to bypassing and measures to mitigate environmental harm caused by the bypass. The department may require the permittee to provide public notification for a scheduled bypass if it is

determined there is significant public interest in the proposed action and may recommend mitigation measures to minimize the impact of such bypass.

4.2.8 Controlled Diversions

Controlled diversions are allowed only when necessary for essential maintenance to assure efficient operation. Sewage treatment facilities that have multiple treatment units to treat variable or seasonal loading conditions may shut down redundant treatment units when necessary for efficient operation. The following requirements shall be met during controlled diversions:

- Effluent from the sewage treatment facility shall meet the effluent limitations established in the permit. Wastewater that is diverted around a treatment unit or treatment process during a controlled diversion shall be recombined with wastewater that is not diverted prior to the effluent sampling location and prior to effluent discharge;
- A controlled diversion does not include blending as defined in s. NR 210.03(2e), Wis. Adm. Code, and as may only be approved under s. NR 210.12. A controlled diversion may not occur during periods of excessive flow or other abnormal wastewater characteristics;
- A controlled diversion may not result in a wastewater treatment facility overflow; and
- All instances of controlled diversions shall be documented in sewage treatment facility records and such records shall be available to the department on request.

4.2.9 Proper Operation and Maintenance

The permittee shall at all times properly operate and maintain all facilities and systems of treatment and control which are installed or used by the permittee to achieve compliance with the conditions of this permit. Proper operation and maintenance includes effective performance, adequate funding, adequate operator staffing and training as required in ch. NR 114, Wis. Adm. Code, and adequate laboratory and process controls, including appropriate quality assurance procedures. This provision requires the operation of back-up or auxiliary facilities or similar systems only when necessary to achieve compliance with the conditions of the permit.

4.3 Land Application Requirements

4.3.1 Sludge Management Program Standards And Requirements Based Upon Federally Promulgated Regulations

In the event that new federal sewage sludge standards or regulations are promulgated, the permittee shall comply with the new sewage sludge requirements by the dates established in the regulations, if required by federal law, even if the permit has not yet been modified to incorporate the new federal regulations.

4.3.2 General Sludge Management Information

The General Sludge Management Form 3400-48 shall be completed and submitted prior to any significant sludge management changes.

4.3.3 Sludge Samples

All sludge samples shall be collected at a point and in a manner which will yield sample results which are representative of the sludge being tested, and collected at the time which is appropriate for the specific test.

4.3.4 Land Application Characteristic Report

Each report shall consist of a Characteristic Form 3400-49 and Lab Report. The Characteristic Report Form 3400-49 shall be submitted electronically by January 31 following each year whether or not samples are analyzed. In years in

which monitoring does not occur, the report shall be completed by checking on the form that monitoring/land application did not occur.

Following submittal of the electronic Characteristic Report Form 3400-49, this form shall be certified electronically via the 'eReport Certify' page by a responsible executive or municipal officer, manager, partner or proprietor as specified in s. 283.37(3), Wis. Stats., or a duly authorized representative of the officer, manager, partner or proprietor that has been delegated signature authority pursuant to s. NR 205.07(1)(g)2, Wis. Adm. Code. The 'eReport Certify' page certifies that the electronic report is true, accurate and complete. The Lab Report must be sent directly to the facility's DNR sludge representative or basin engineer unless approval for not submitting the lab reports has been given.

The permittee shall use the following convention when reporting sludge monitoring results: Pollutant concentrations less than the limit of detection shall be reported as < (less than) the value of the limit of detection. For example, if a substance is not detected at a detection limit of 1.0 mg/kg, report the pollutant concentration as < 1.0 mg/kg .

All results shall be reported on a dry weight basis.

4.3.5 Calculation of Water Extractable Phosphorus

When sludge analysis for Water Extractable Phosphorus is required by this permit, the permittee shall use the following formula to calculate and report Water Extractable Phosphorus:

Water Extractable Phosphorus (% of Total P) =

$[\text{Water Extractable Phosphorus (mg/kg, dry wt)} \div \text{Total Phosphorus (mg/kg, dry wt)}] \times 100$

4.3.6 Annual Land Application Report

Land Application Report Form 3400-55 shall be submitted electronically by January 31, each year whether or not non-exceptional quality sludge is land applied. Non-exceptional quality sludge is defined in s. NR 204.07(4), Wis. Adm. Code. Following submittal of the electronic Annual Land Application Report Form 3400-55, this form shall be certified electronically via the 'eReport Certify' page by a responsible executive or municipal officer, manager, partner or proprietor as specified in s. 283.37(3), Wis. Stats., or a duly authorized representative of the officer, manager, partner or proprietor that has been delegated signature authority pursuant to s. NR 205.07(1)(g)2, Wis. Adm. Code. The 'eReport Certify' page certifies that the electronic report form is true, accurate and complete.

4.3.7 Other Methods of Disposal or Distribution Report

The permittee shall submit electronically the Other Methods of Disposal or Distribution Report Form 3400-52 by January 31, each year whether or not sludge is hauled, landfilled, incinerated, or exceptional quality sludge is distributed or land applied. Following submittal of the electronic Report Form 3400-52, this form shall be certified electronically via the 'eReport Certify' page by a responsible executive or municipal officer, manager, partner or proprietor as specified in s. 283.37(3), Wis. Stats., or a duly authorized representative of the officer, manager, partner or proprietor that has been delegated signature authority pursuant to s. NR 205.07(1)(g)2, Wis. Adm. Code. The 'eReport Certify' page certifies that the electronic report form is true, accurate and complete.

4.3.8 Approval to Land Apply

Bulk non-exceptional quality sludge as defined in s. NR 204.07(4), Wis. Adm. Code, may not be applied to land without a written approval letter or Form 3400-122 from the Department unless the Permittee has obtained permission from the Department to self-approve sites in accordance with s. NR 204.06(6), Wis. Adm. Code. Analysis of sludge characteristics is required prior to land application. Application on frozen or snow-covered ground is restricted to the extent specified in s. NR 204.07(3)(1), Wis. Adm. Code.

4.3.9 Soil Analysis Requirements

Each site requested for approval for land application must have the soil tested prior to use. Each approved site used for land application must subsequently be soil tested such that there is at least one valid soil test in the four years prior to land application. All soil sampling and submittal of information to the testing laboratory shall be done in

accordance with UW Extension Bulletin A-2100. The testing shall be done by the UW Soils Lab in Madison or Marshfield, WI or at a lab approved by UW. The test results including the crop recommendations shall be submitted to the DNR contact listed for this permit, as they are available. Application rates shall be determined based on the crop nitrogen recommendations and with consideration for other sources of nitrogen applied to the site.

4.3.10 Land Application Site Evaluation

For non-exceptional quality sludge, as defined in s. NR 204.07(4), Wis. Adm. Code, a Land Application Site Request Form 3400-053 shall be submitted to the Department for the proposed land application site. The Department will evaluate the proposed site for acceptability and will either approve or deny use of the proposed site. The permittee may obtain permission to approve their own sites in accordance with s. NR 204.06(6), Wis. Adm. Code.

4.3.11 Class B Sludge: Fecal Coliform Limitation

Compliance with the fecal coliform limitation for Class B sludge shall be demonstrated by calculating the geometric mean of at least 7 separate samples. (Note that a Total Solids analysis must be done on each sample). The geometric mean shall be less than 2,000,000 MPN or CFU/g TS. Calculation of the geometric mean can be done using one of the following 2 methods.

Method 1:

$$\text{Geometric Mean} = (X_1 \times X_2 \times X_3 \dots \times X_n)^{1/n}$$

Where X = Coliform Density value of the sludge sample, and where n = number of samples (at least 7)

Method 2:

$$\text{Geometric Mean} = \text{antilog}[(X_1 + X_2 + X_3 \dots + X_n) \div n]$$

Where X = log₁₀ of Coliform Density value of the sludge sample, and where n = number of samples (at least 7)

Example for Method 2

Sample Number	Coliform Density of Sludge Sample	log ₁₀
1	6.0 x 10 ⁵	5.78
2	4.2 x 10 ⁶	6.62
3	1.6 x 10 ⁶	6.20
4	9.0 x 10 ⁵	5.95
5	4.0 x 10 ⁵	5.60
6	1.0 x 10 ⁶	6.00
7	5.1 x 10 ⁵	5.71

The geometric mean for the seven samples is determined by averaging the log₁₀ values of the coliform density and taking the antilog of that value.

$$(5.78 + 6.62 + 6.20 + 5.95 + 5.60 + 6.00 + 5.71) \div 7 = 5.98$$

The antilog of 5.98 = 9.5 x 10⁵

4.3.12 Class B Sludge: Aerobic Digestion

Agitate the sludge with air or oxygen to maintain an aerobic condition for a mean cell residence time and temperature between 40 days at 20° C and 60 days at 15° C.

4.3.13 Class B Sludge: Anaerobic Digestion

Treat the sludge in the absence of air for a specific mean cell residence time at a specific temperature. Values for the mean cell residence time and temperature shall be between 15 days at 35° C to 55° C and 60 days at 20° C. Straight-line interpolation to calculate mean cell residence time is allowable when the temperature falls between 35° C and 20° C.

4.3.14 Class B Sludge: Alkaline Stabilization

Add sufficient alkali to the sludge to raise the pH to 12 after 2 hours of contact.

4.3.15 Class B Sludge: Air Drying

Dry the sludge on sand beds or on paved or unpaved basins for a minimum of 3 months. During 2 of the 3 months, the ambient average daily temperature shall be above 0° C.

4.3.16 Class B Sludge: Composting

Compost the sludge using either within-vessel, static aerated pile or windrow composting methods and raise the temperature of the sludge to 40° C or higher for 5 days. For 4 hours at some point during each of the 5 days, the temperature in the compost pile shall exceed 55°C.

4.3.17 Class B Sludge: PSRP Equivalent Process

Treat the sludge in a process that is equivalent to a process to significantly reduce pathogens, as approved by the Department.

4.3.18 Vector Control: Volatile Solids Reduction

The mass of volatile solids in the sludge shall be reduced by a minimum of 38% between the time the sludge enters the digestion process and the time it either exits the digester or a storage facility. For calculation of volatile solids reduction, the permittee shall use the Van Kleeck equation or one of the other methods described in "Determination of Volatile Solids Reduction in Digestion" by J.B. Farrell, which is Appendix C of EPA's *Control of Pathogens in Municipal Wastewater Sludge* (EPA/625/R-92/013). The Van Kleeck equation is:

$$VSR\% = \frac{VS_{IN} - VS_{OUT}}{VS_{IN} - (VS_{OUT} \times VS_{IN})} \times 100$$

Where: VS_{IN} = Volatile Solids in Feed Sludge (g VS/g TS)

VS_{OUT} = Volatile Solids in Final Sludge (g VS/g TS)

VSR% = Volatile Solids Reduction, (Percent)

4.3.19 Vector Control: Specific Oxygen Uptake Rate

The specific oxygen uptake rate (SOUR) for aerobic sludge shall be equal to or less than 1.5 milligrams of oxygen per hour per gram of total solids on a dry weight basis, corrected to 20° Celsius. See Municipal Wastewater Sludge Guidance Memo #2 (Guidance Notes for Specific Oxygen Uptake Rates on Aerobically Digested Sludge).

4.3.20 Vector Control: Anaerobic Bench-Scale Test

Demonstrate through additional digestion, in a bench-scale test, that additional volatile solids reduction for anaerobically digested sludge is less than 17%. This shall be demonstrated by digesting a portion of the previously digested sludge anaerobically in the laboratory in a bench-scale unit for 40 additional days at a temperature between 30 and 37 degrees Celsius. This requirement is satisfied when at the end of the test, volatile solids have been reduced by less than 17%, as measured from the beginning to the end of the test. For calculation of volatile solids reduction, the permittee shall use the Van Kleeck equation, the approximate mass balance equation or one of the other methods described in "Determination of Volatile Solids Reduction in Digestion" by J.B. Farrell, which is Appendix C of EPA's *Control of Pathogens in Municipal Wastewater Sludge* (EPA/625/R-92/013). The Van Kleeck equation is:

$$VSR\% = \frac{VS_{IN} - VS_{OUT}}{VS_{IN} - (VS_{OUT} \times VS_{IN})} \times 100$$

Where: VS_{IN} = Volatile Solids in Feed Sludge (g VS/g TS)

VS_{OUT} = Volatile Solids in Final Sludge (g VS/g TS)

VSR% = Volatile Solids Reduction (Percent)

4.3.21 Vector Control: Aerobic Bench-Scale Test

Demonstrate through additional digestion, in a bench-scale test, that additional volatile solids reduction for aerobically digested sludge is less than 15%. This shall be demonstrated by digesting a portion of the previously digested sludge, at a concentration of 2% solids or less, aerobically in the laboratory in a bench-scale unit for 30 additional days at a temperature of 20 degrees Celsius. Sludge with higher percent solids shall be diluted with effluent down to 2% at the start of the test. This requirement is satisfied when at the end of the test, volatile solids have been reduced by less than 15%, as measured from the beginning to the end of the test. Use the following (Approximate Mass Balance) equation for calculating volatile solids reduction:

$$\text{VSR (\%)} = \frac{\text{TS}_{\text{in}}\text{VS}_{\text{in}} - \text{TS}_{\text{out}}\text{VS}_{\text{out}}}{\text{TS}_{\text{in}}\text{VS}_{\text{in}}} \times 100 (\%)$$

Where: TS_{in} = Total Solids in Feed Sludge

TS_{out} = Total Solids in Final Sludge

VS_{in} = Volatile Solids in Feed Sludge (g VS/g TS)

VS_{out} = Volatile Solids in Final Sludge (g VS/g TS)

VSR% = Volatile Solids Reduction (Percent)

The Van Kleeck equation may also be used.

4.3.22 Vector Control: pH Adjustment

The pH of the sewage sludge shall be raised to 12 or higher by alkali addition and, without the addition of more alkali, shall remain at 12 or higher for 2 hours and then at 11.5 or higher for an additional 22 hours.

4.3.23 Class B Sludge - Vector Control: Injection

No significant amount of the sewage sludge shall be present on the land surface within one hour after the sludge is injected.

4.3.24 Class B Sludge - Vector Control: Incorporation

Class B sludge shall be incorporated within 6 hours of surface application, or as approved by the Department.

4.3.25 Landfilling of Sludge

General: Sewage sludge may not be disposed of in a municipal solid waste landfill unless the landfill meets the requirements of chs. NR 500 to 536, Wis. Adm. Code, and is an approved facility as defined in s. 289.01(3), Wis. Stats. Any facility accepting sewage sludge shall be approved by the Department in writing to accept sewage sludge. Disposal of sewage sludge in a municipal solid waste landfill shall be in accordance with ss. NR 506.13 and 506.14. Sewage sludge may not be disposed of in a surface disposal unit as defined in s. NR 204.03(63).

Approval: The permittee shall obtain approval from the Department prior to the disposal of sludge at a Wisconsin licensed landfill.

4.3.26 Sludge Landfilling Reports

The permittee shall report the volume of sludge disposed of at any landfill facility on Form 3400-52. The permittee shall include the name and address of the landfill, the Department license number or other state's designation or license number for all landfills used during the report period and a letter of acceptability from the landfill owner. In addition, any permittee utilizing landfills as a disposal method shall submit to the Department any test results used to

indicate acceptability of the sludge at a landfill. Form 3400-52 shall be submitted annually by January 31, each year whether or not sludge is landfilled.

4.3.27 Sludge Incineration Reports

The permittee shall report the volume of sludge combusted at an on-site incinerator on Form 3400-52. Submittal of Form 3400-52 is required annually by January 31, each year whether or not sludge is incinerated.

4.3.28 Sludge Hauling

The permittee is required to submit Form 3400-52 to the Department. If sludge is hauled to another facility, information shall include the quantity of sludge hauled, the name, address, phone number, contact person, and permit number of the receiving facility. Form 3400-52 shall be submitted annually by January 31 each year whether or not sludge is hauled.

4.3.29 Land Application of Sludge Which Contains Elevated Levels of Radium-226

When contributory water supplies exceed 2 pci per liter of Radium 226, monitoring for Radium 226 in sludge is required. Sludge containing Radium 226 shall be land applied in accordance with the requirements in s. NR 204.07(3)(n), Wis. Adm. Code.

5 Summary of Reports Due

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Description	Date	Page
Sludge Management Plan -Sludge Management Plan Update	October 31, 2026	20
Sludge Management Plan -Ongoing Management Plan Updates	See Permit	20
Tank Inspection Reports for Rate and Biese Tanks (Outfalls 001 and 004) - Tank Inspection Reports for Rate and Biese Tanks	July 31, 2028	20
Compliance Maintenance Annual Reports (CMAR)	by June 30, each year	22
General Sludge Management Form 3400-48	prior to any significant sludge management changes	25
Characteristic Form 3400-49 and Lab Report	by January 31 following each year whether or not samples are analyzed	25
Land Application Report Form 3400-55	by January 31, each year whether or not non-exceptional quality sludge is land applied	26
Other Methods of Disposal or Distribution Report Form 3400-52	by January 31, each year whether or not sludge is hauled, landfilled, incinerated, or exceptional quality sludge is distributed or land applied	26
Wastewater Discharge Monitoring Report	no later than the date indicated on the form	21

Report forms shall be submitted electronically in accordance with the reporting requirements herein. Any facility plans or plans and specifications for municipal, industrial, industrial pretreatment and non industrial wastewater systems shall be submitted to the Bureau of Water Quality, P.O. Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707-7921. All other submittals required by this permit shall be submitted to: Southeast Region, 1027 W Saint Paul Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53233.