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STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES EDMIT TO DISCHARGE UNDER THE WISCONSIN POLICIER THE RESOURCES.

PERMIT TO DISCHARGE UNDER THE WISCONSIN POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM

Little Suamico Sanitary District No. 1

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

Fox Road, Little Suamico, Wisconsin

to

the Little Suamico River (Water Body Identification Code Number 411800) in the Suamico & Little Suamico Rivers Watershed (GB01), of the Upper Green Bay Drainage Basin

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.

	of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources he Secretary	
Ву	Heidi Schmitt Marquez Wastewater Field Supervisor	
	Date Permit Signed/Issued	
PERI	MIT TERM: EFFECTIVE DATE - January 01, 2026	EXPIRATION DATE - December 31, 2030

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1 Influent Requirements

1.1 Sampling Point(s)

	Sampling Point Designation						
Sampling Point Number	Point applicable)						
704							
	device from the influent manhole. Flow is measured before Pond 1 with a magmeter.						

1.2 Monitoring Requirements

The permittee shall comply with the following monitoring requirements.

1.2.1 Sampling Point 704 - Influent

	Monitoring Requirements and Limitations						
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes		
Flow Rate		MGD	Daily	Continuous			
BOD ₅ , Total		mg/L	Weekly	24-Hr Flow			
				Prop Comp			
Suspended Solids,		mg/L	Weekly	24-Hr Flow			
Total				Prop Comp			

2 Surface Water Requirements

2.1 Sampling Point(s)

	Sampling Point Designation					
Sampling	Sampling Sampling Point Location, Waste Type/Sample Contents and Treatment Description (as					
Point	applicable)					
Number						
004	EFFLUENT: Representative samples of the discharge shall be collected following the reactive sand					
	filter system upstream of the Parshall flume prior to discharge to the Little Suamico River. Flow is					
	measured from a 3" Parshall flume using an ultrasonic flow meter.					

2.2 Monitoring Requirements and Effluent Limitations

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

2.2.1 Sampling Point (Outfall) 004 - Effluent, RGF System

	Monitoring Requirements and Effluent Limitations						
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes		
Flow Rate	Monthly Avg	0 MGD	Daily	Continuous	Discharge is not permitted January - March.		
Flow Rate	Monthly Avg	0.217 MGD	Daily	Continuous	Applies April.		
Flow Rate	Monthly Avg	0.148 MGD	Daily	Continuous	Applies May.		
Flow Rate	Monthly Avg	0.183 MGD	Daily	Continuous	Applies June.		
Flow Rate	Monthly Avg	0.09 MGD	Daily	Continuous	Applies July.		
Flow Rate	Monthly Avg	0.065 MGD	Daily	Continuous	Applies August.		
Flow Rate	Monthly Avg	0.203 MGD	Daily	Continuous	Applies September - November.		
Flow Rate	Monthly Avg	0.04 MGD	Daily	Continuous	Applies December.		
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	45 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies April - May.		
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	24 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies June.		
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	26 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies July.		
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	25 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies August.		
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	17 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies September.		
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	22 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies October.		
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	31 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies November.		
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	34 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies December.		

Monitoring Requirements and Effluent Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
BOD ₅ , Total	Monthly Avg	30 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies April, May,
				Prop Comp	November, and December.
BOD ₅ , Total	Monthly Avg	24 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies June.
				Prop Comp	
BOD ₅ , Total	Monthly Avg	26 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies July.
				Prop Comp	
BOD ₅ , Total	Monthly Avg	25 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies August.
				Prop Comp	
BOD ₅ , Total	Monthly Avg	17 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies September.
				Prop Comp	
BOD ₅ , Total	Monthly Avg	22 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies October.
DOD # 1	*** 11 1	0=11 /1	2777 1	Prop Comp	
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	37 lbs/day	2/Week	Calculated	Applies June.
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	19 lbs/day	2/Week	Calculated	Applies July.
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	13 lbs/day	2/Week	Calculated	Applies August.
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	28 lbs/day	2/Week	Calculated	Applies September.
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	38 lbs/day	2/Week	Calculated	Applies October.
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	53 lbs/day	2/Week	Calculated	Applies November.
BOD ₅ , Total	Weekly Avg	11 lbs/day	2/Week	Calculated	Applies December.
Suspended Solids,	Weekly Avg	45 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies April - May.
Total				Prop Comp	
Suspended Solids, Total	Weekly Avg	24 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	Applies June.
Suspended Solids,	Weekly Avg	26 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies July.
Total	Weekly Avg	20 mg/L	2/ W CCR	Prop Comp	Applies July.
Suspended Solids,	Weekly Avg	25 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies August.
Total	Weeking 114g	25 mg/2	2/ VV COR	Prop Comp	Tippiles Tagast.
Suspended Solids,	Weekly Avg	17 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies September.
Total		8		Prop Comp	P.F. San P. F. San P. San
Suspended Solids,	Weekly Avg	22 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies October.
Total	, ,			Prop Comp	
Suspended Solids,	Weekly Avg	31 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies November.
Total				Prop Comp	
Suspended Solids,	Weekly Avg	34 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies December.
Total				Prop Comp	
Suspended Solids,	Monthly Avg	30 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies April, May,
Total				Prop Comp	November, December.
Suspended Solids,	Monthly Avg	24 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies June.
Total				Prop Comp	
Suspended Solids,	Monthly Avg	26 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies July.
Total				Prop Comp	
Suspended Solids,	Monthly Avg	25 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies August.
Total				Prop Comp	
Suspended Solids,	Monthly Avg	17 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies September.
Total				Prop Comp	

	Monito	ring Requireme	ents and Effluen	t Limitations	
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and	Sample	Sample	Notes
		Units	Frequency	Type	
Suspended Solids,	Monthly Avg	22 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies October.
Total				Prop Comp	
pH Field	Daily Max	9.0 su	5/Week	Grab	
pH Field	Daily Min	6.0 su	5/Week	Grab	
Dissolved Oxygen	Daily Min	7.0 mg/L	5/Week	Grab	
Nitrogen, Ammonia Variable Limit		mg/L	2/Week	See Table	Daily maximum ammonia limit varies with effluent pH. Look up the variable ammonia limit from the "Variable Ammonia Limitation" table and report the variable limit in the Ammonia Variable Limit column on the eDMR.
Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH ₃ -N) Total	Daily Max - Variable	mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow Prop Comp	
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Weekly Avg	28 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies April.
(NH ₃ -N) Total	Weekly Myg	20 mg/L	2/ WCCK	Prop Comp	repries reprii.
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Weekly Avg	14 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies May.
(NH ₃ -N) Total	Weekly Myg	14 mg/L	2/ WCCK	Prop Comp	replies way.
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Weekly Avg	13 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies June - August and
(NH ₃ -N) Total	Weekly Tivg	13 mg/L	2/ VV CCR	Prop Comp	December.
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Weekly Avg	10 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies September.
(NH ₃ -N) Total	,, com j 11, g	10 mg/L	2, 1, 501	Prop Comp	rippines septemiser.
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Weekly Avg	8.6 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies October.
(NH ₃ -N) Total		8		Prop Comp	rr
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Weekly Avg	15 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies November.
(NH ₃ -N) Total				Prop Comp	
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Monthly Avg	28 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies April.
(NH ₃ -N) Total				Prop Comp	
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Monthly Avg	14 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies May.
(NH ₃ -N) Total				Prop Comp	
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Monthly Avg	13 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies June and
(NH ₃ -N) Total				Prop Comp	November.
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Monthly Avg	11 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies July and
(NH ₃ -N) Total				Prop Comp	December.
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Monthly Avg	12 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies August.
(NH ₃ -N) Total				Prop Comp	
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Monthly Avg	8.6 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies September.
(NH ₃ -N) Total				Prop Comp	
Nitrogen, Ammonia	Monthly Avg	6.6 mg/L	2/Week	24-Hr Flow	Applies October.
(NH ₃ -N) Total				Prop Comp	
Phosphorus, Total	Monthly Avg	0.23 mg/L	Weekly	24-Hr Flow	
				Prop Comp	
Phosphorus, Total	Annual Avg	0.075 mg/L	Weekly	24-Hr Flow	
				Prop Comp	

	Monitoring Requirements and Effluent Limitations						
Parameter Limit Type		Limit and	-		Notes		
		Units	Frequency	Type			
Phosphorus, Total		lbs/day	Weekly	Calculated			
Phosphorus, Total		lbs/month	Monthly	Calculated			
Phosphorus, Total	Annual Total	26 lbs/yr	Annual	Calculated			
Chloride		mg/L	Monthly	24-Hr Flow	Monitoring only in 2028.		
				Prop Comp			
Nitrogen, Total		mg/L	See Listed	24-Hr Flow			
Kjeldahl			Qtr(s)	Prop Comp			
Nitrogen, Nitrite +		mg/L	See Listed	24-Hr Flow			
Nitrate Total			Qtr(s)	Prop Comp			
Nitrogen, Total		mg/L	See Listed	Calculated	Total Nitrogen shall be		
			Qtr(s)		calculated as the sum of		
					reported values for Total		
					Kjeldahl Nitrogen and		
					Total Nitrite + Nitrate		
					Nitrogen.		
Temperature		deg F	Monthly	Grab	Monitoring only October -		
					December in 2027.		
Acute WET		TU _c	See Listed	24-Hr Flow			
			Qtr(s)	Prop Comp			
Chronic WET	Monthly Avg	1.6 TU _c	See Listed	24-Hr Flow			
			Qtr(s)	Prop Comp			

2.2.1.1 Daily Maximum Ammonia Nitrogen (NH3-N) Limits

The daily maximum ammonia nitrogen effluent limit is a variable limit, dependent upon the effluent pH. Below is a table of daily maximum ammonia nitrogen effluent limits corresponding to effluent pH values. Measurement of effluent pH is required on the same day as the collection of samples for ammonia analysis.

Daily Maximum Ammonia Nitrogen Limits - WWSF Community

Effluent pH s.u.	Limit mg/L	Effluent pH s.u.	Limit mg/L	Effluent pH s.u.	Limit mg/L
$6.0 \le pH \le 6.1$	108	$7.0 \le pH \le 7.1$	66	$8.0 \le pH \le 8.1$	14
$6.1 \le pH \le 6.2$	106	$7.1 \le pH \le 7.2$	59	$8.1 \le pH \le 8.2$	11
$6.2 \le pH \le 6.3$	104	$7.2 \le pH \le 7.3$	52	$8.2 \le pH \le 8.3$	9.4
$6.3 \le pH \le 6.4$	101	$7.3 \le pH \le 7.4$	46	$8.3 \le pH \le 8.4$	7.8
$6.4 \le pH \le 6.5$	98	$7.4 \le pH \le 7.5$	40	$8.4 \le pH \le 8.5$	6.4
$6.5 \le pH \le 6.6$	94	$7.5 \le pH \le 7.6$	34	$8.5 \le pH \le 8.6$	5.3
$6.6 \le pH \le 6.7$	89	$7.6 \le pH \le 7.7$	29	$8.6 \le pH \le 8.7$	4.4
$6.7 \le pH \le 6.8$	84	$7.7 \le pH \le 7.8$	24	$8.7 \le pH \le 8.8$	3.7
$6.8 \le pH \le 6.9$	78	$7.8 \le pH \le 7.9$	20	$8.8 \le pH \le 8.9$	3.1
$6.9 \le pH \le 7.0$	72	$7.9 \le pH \le 8.0$	17	$8.9 \le pH \le 9.0$	2.6

2.2.1.2 Effluent Temperature Monitoring

For manually measuring effluent temperature, grab samples should be collected at 6 evenly spaced intervals during the 24-hour period. Alternative sampling intervals may be approved if the permittee can show that the maximum effluent temperature is captured during the sampling interval. Report the maximum temperature measured during the day on the DMR. For seasonal discharges collect measurements either manually or continuously during the period of operation and report the daily maximum effluent temperature on the DMR.

2.2.1.3 Nitrogen Series Monitoring

Monitoring for Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (TKN), Nitrite + Nitrate Nitrogen, and Total Nitrogen shall be conducted once each year in rotating quarters in order to collect seasonal information about the discharge. Tests are required during the following quarters.

• April 1, 2026 – June 30, 2026; July 1, 2027 – September 30, 2027; October 1, 2028 – December 31, 2028; January 1, 2029 – March 31, 2029; April 1, 2030 – June 30, 2030

Nitrogen Series monitoring shall continue after the permit expiration date (until the permit is reissued) in accordance with the monitoring requirements specified in the last full calendar year of this permit. For example, the next test would be required in July 1, 2031 – September 30, 2031.

Testing: Monitoring shall be performed during normal operating conditions. Permittees are not allowed to turn off or otherwise modify treatment systems, production processes, or change other operating or treatment conditions during testing.

2.2.1.4 Whole Effluent Toxicity (WET) Testing

Primary Control Water: Grab sample from the Little Suamico River upstream of the confluence of Outfall 004

Instream Waste Concentration (IWC): 64%

Dilution Series: At least five effluent concentrations and dual controls must be included in each test.

- Acute: 100, 50, 25, 12.5, 6.25% and any additional selected by the permittee.
- Chronic: 100, 75, 50, 25, 12.5% and any additional selected by the permittee.

WET Testing Frequency:

Acute tests are required during the following quarters:

• Acute: July 1, 2027 – September 30, 2027; January 1, 2029 – March 31, 2029

Chronic tests are required during the following quarters:

• **Chronic:** April 1, 2026 – June 30, 2026; July 1, 2027 – September 30, 2027; October 1, 2028 – December 31, 2028; January 1, 2029 – March 31, 2029; April 1, 2030 – June 30, 2030

Chronic WET testing shall continue after the permit expiration date (until the permit is reissued) in accordance with the WET requirements specified for the last full calendar year of this permit. For example, the next test would be required in July 1, 2031 – September 30, 2031.

Testing: WET testing shall be performed during normal operating conditions. Permittees are not allowed to turn off or otherwise modify treatment systems, production processes, or change other operating or treatment conditions during WET tests.

Reporting: The permittee shall report test results on the Discharge Monitoring Report form, and also complete the "Whole Effluent Toxicity Test Report Form" (Section 6, "*State of Wisconsin Aquatic Life Toxicity Testing Methods Manual, 2nd Edition*"), for each test. The original, complete, signed version of the Whole Effluent Toxicity Test Report Form shall be sent to the Biomonitoring Coordinator, Bureau of Water Quality, 101 S. Webster St., P.O. Box

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7921, Madison, WI 53707-7921, within 45 days of test completion. The Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) form shall be submitted electronically by the required deadline.

Determination of Positive Results: An acute toxicity test shall be considered positive if the Toxic Unit - Acute (TU_a) is greater than 1.0 for either species (fathead minnow (Pimephales promelas) and waterflea (Ceriodaphnia dubia)). The TU_a shall be calculated as follows: $TU_a = 100 \div LC_{50}$. A chronic toxicity test shall be considered positive if the Toxic Unit - Chronic (TU_c) is greater than 1.6 for either species. The TU_c shall be calculated as follows: $TU_c = 100 \div IC_{25}$.

Additional Testing Requirements: Within 90 days of a test which showed positive results, the permittee shall submit the results of at least 2 retests to the Biomonitoring Coordinator on "Whole Effluent Toxicity Test Report Forms". The 90-day reporting period shall begin the day after the test which showed a positive result. The retests shall be completed using the same species and test methods specified for the original test (see the Standard Requirements section herein).

3 Land Application Requirements

3.1 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	ampling Sampling Point Location, Waste Type/Sample Contents and Treatment Description (as					
Point	applicable)					
Number						
003	3 LAND APPLICATION: (Pond Sludge) Liquid sludge that accumulates in the two treatment lagoons.					
	Representative samples shall be collected from various locations and depths within the cells of both					
	lagoons and composited for analysis.					

3.2 Monitoring Requirements and Limitations

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

3.2.1 Sampling Point (Outfall) 003 - Pond Sludge

Sludge Management: The permittee shall contact the Department prior to recycling/disposing of any sludge. The permittee shall monitor for the following parameters during the second year of the permit, (2027). Analysis shall be submitted by **January 31, 2028**.

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Solids, Total		Percent	Once	Composite	
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl		Percent	Once	Composite	
Nitrogen, Ammonium (NH ₄ -N) Total		Percent	Once	Composite	
Phosphorus, Total		Percent	Once	Composite	
Phosphorus, Water Extractable		Percent	Once	Composite	
Potassium, Total Recoverable		Percent	Once	Composite	
Arsenic Dry Wt	Ceiling	75 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Arsenic Dry Wt	High Quality	41 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Cadmium Dry Wt	Ceiling	85 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Cadmium Dry Wt	High Quality	39 mg/kg	Once	Composite	

Monitoring Requirements and Limitations					
Parameter	Limit Type	Limit and Units	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Notes
Copper Dry Wt	Ceiling	4,300 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Copper Dry Wt	High Quality	1,500 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Lead Dry Wt	Ceiling	840 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Lead Dry Wt	High Quality	300 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Mercury Dry Wt	Ceiling	57 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Mercury Dry Wt	High Quality	17 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Molybdenum Dry Wt	Ceiling	75 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Nickel Dry Wt	Ceiling	420 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Nickel Dry Wt	High Quality	420 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Selenium Dry Wt	Ceiling	100 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Selenium Dry Wt	High Quality	100 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Zinc Dry Wt	Ceiling	7,500 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
Zinc Dry Wt	High Quality	2,800 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
PCB Total Dry Wt	Ceiling	50 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
PCB Total Dry Wt	High Quality	10 mg/kg	Once	Composite	
PFOA + PFOS		μg/kg	Once	Calculated	Report the sum of PFOA and PFOS. See PFAS Permit Sections for more information.
PFAS Dry Wt			Once	Grab	Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances based on updated DNR PFAS List. See PFAS Permit Sections for more information.

Other Sludge Requirements			
Sludge Requirements	Sample Frequency		
List 3 Requirements – Pathogen Control: The requirements in List 3 shall be met prior to land application of sludge.	Required only when sludge is land applied		
List 4 Requirements – Vector Attraction Reduction: The vector attraction reduction shall be satisfied prior to, or at the time of land application as specified in List 4.	Required only when sludge is land applied		

3.2.1.1 Requirements for Potential and/or Unscheduled Land Application of Sludge

Monitoring for List 1, PCBs, and PFAS (if listed in monitoring requirements table above) shall occur in year two of permit term (2027) unless a sludge removal date has been established which would occur within the permit term, but in a different year. Monitoring for List 2 is highly recommended during the same sampling event to determine acreage needs for land application of sludge should it be necessary at a future date.

If a sludge removal date has been established other than in year two (2027), monitoring for Lists 1, 2, 3 & 4, PCBs and PFAS (if listed) shall occur in the year of, but prior to, land application of the removed sludge. Monitoring must be done, and compliance assured, prior to land application, in addition to all other requirements specified herein and in ch. NR 204, Wis. Adm. Code. The permittee shall notify the Department prior to such land application. If sludge removal and land application are necessary after the monitoring for List 1, PCBs and PFAS (if listed) in year two of the permit, monitoring for Lists 2, 3 & 4 shall be done in the year of and prior to land application.

3.2.1.2 Changes in Feed Sludge Characteristics

If a change in feed sludge characteristics, treatment process, or operational procedures occurs which may result in a significant shift in sludge characteristics, the permittee shall reanalyze the sludge for List 1, 2, 3 and 4 parameters each time such change occurs.

3.2.1.3 Multiple Sludge Sample Points (Outfalls)

If there are multiple sludge sample points (outfalls), but the sludges are not subject to different sludge treatment processes, then a separate List 2 analysis shall be conducted for each sludge type which is land applied, just prior to land application, and the application rate shall be calculated for each sludge type. In this case, List 1, 3, and 4 and PCBs need only be analyzed on a single sludge type, at the specified frequency. If there are multiple sludge sample points (outfalls), due to multiple treatment processes, List 1, 2, 3 and 4 and PCBs shall be analyzed for each sludge type at the specified frequency.

3.2.1.4 Sludge Which Exceeds the High Quality Limit

Cumulative pollutant loading records shall be kept for all bulk 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 Table 3 of s. NR 204.07(5)(c), Wis. Adm. Code, is experienced. Such loading records shall be kept for all List 1 parameters for each site land applied in that calendar year. The formula to be used for calculating cumulative loading is as follows:

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

When a site reaches 90% of the allowable cumulative loading for any metal established in Table 2 of s. NR 204.07(5)(b), Wis. Adm. Code, the Department shall be so notified through letter or in the comment section of the annual land application report (3400-55).

3.2.1.5 Sludge Analysis for PCBs

The permittee shall analyze the sludge for Total PCBs one time during the permit term. The results shall be reported as "PCB Total Dry Wt". Either congener-specific analysis or Aroclor analysis shall be used to determine the PCB concentration. The permittee may determine whether Aroclor or congener specific analysis is performed. Analyses shall be performed in accordance with Table EM in s. NR 219.04, Wis. Adm. Code and the conditions specified in Standard Requirements of this permit. PCB results shall be submitted by January 31, following the specified year of analysis.

3.2.1.6 Lists 1, 2, 3, and 4

List 1 TOTAL SOLIDS AND METALS
See the Monitoring Requirements and Limitations table above for monitoring frequency and limitations for the List 1 parameters
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)

	List 2
NU'	TRIENTS
See the Monitoring Requirements and Limitations tab	le above for monitoring frequency for the List 2 parameters
Solids, Total (percent)	
Nitrogen Total Kjeldahl (percent)	
Nitrogen Ammonium (NH4-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.

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Parameter	Unit	Limit		
	MPN/gTS or			
Fecal Coliform*	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	On composted sludge
	Avg. Temp > 45°C	
pH adjustment	>12 S.U. (for 2 hours)	During the process
	and >11.5	
	(for an additional 22 hours)	
Drying without primary solids	>75 % TS	When applied or bagged
Drying with primary solids	>90 % TS	When applied or bagged
Equivalent	Approved by the Department	Varies with process
Process		_
Injection	-	When applied
Incorporation	-	Within 6 hours of application

3.2.1.7 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
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

3.2.1.8 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		
PFDoA	Perfluorododecanoic acid		
PFTrDA	Perfluorotridecanoic acid		
PFTeDA	Perfluorotetradecanoic acid		
P	ERFLUOROALKYLSULFONIC Acids (PFSAs)		
PFBS	Perfluorobutane sulfonic acid		
PFPeS	Perfluroropentane sulfonic acid		
PFHxS	Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid		
PFHpS	Perfluoroheptane sulfonic acid		
PFOS	Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid		
PFNS	Perfluorononane sulfonic acid		
PFDS	Perfluorodecane sulfonic acid		
PFDoS	Perfluorododecane sulfonic acid		
	TELOMER SULFONIC Acids		
4:2FTSA	1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid		
6:2FTSA	1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid		
8:2FTSA	1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorodecane sulfonic acid		
PEI	RFLUOROOCTANCESULFONAMIDES (FOSAs)		
PFOSA	Perfluroroctane sulfonamide		
NMeFOSA	N-Methyl perfluoroocatane sulfonamide		
NEtFOSA	N-Ethyl perfluorooctane sulfonamide		
PERF	PERFLUOROOCTANCESULFONAMIDOACETIC Acids		
NMeFOSAA	N-Methyl perfluoroocatane sulfonamidoacetic acid		
NEtFOSAA	N-Ethyl perfluorooctane sulfonamidoacetic acid		
NATIVE PERFLUOROOCTANCESULFONAMIDOETHANOLS (FOSEs)			
NMeFOSE	N-Methyl perfluorooctane sulfonamideoethanol		
NEtFOSE	N-Ethyl perfluorooctane sulfonamidoethanol		
PERFLU	JOROALKYLETHERCARBOXYLIC 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-dioxaheptaoic acid		
	CHLORO-PERFLUOROALKYLSULFONATE		
9Cl-PF3ONS	9-chloroehexadecafluoro-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	2H,2H,3H,3H-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.

3.2.1.9 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. Cake sludge samples should consist of seven equal size discrete samples and be collected from different areas and depths then composited into one sample for laboratory analysis.

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.

3.2.1.10 PFAS Land Application Requirements

The department recommends the landspreading and/or land application of sludge be done in a manner consistent with the most recent version of the "<u>Interim Strategy for Land Application of Biosolids and Industrial Sludges containing PFAS</u>".

4 Schedules

4.1 Sludge Depth

Required Action	Due Date
Sludge Depth: Measure sludge depth of the two ponds and report findings.	01/01/2028

4.2 Desludging Management Plan

Required Action	Due Date
Submit Desludging Management Plan: The permittee shall submit a management plan for approval	
if removal of sludge will occur during the life of this permit. At a minimum, the plan shall address	
how the sludge will be sampled, removed, transported and disposed of. No desludging may occur	
unless approval of the Department is obtained. Daily logs shall be kept that record where the sludge	
has been disposed. The plan is due sixrty days prior to desludging.	

4.3 CMOM Update

Required Action	Due Date
CMOM Update: Per NR210.23(7), submit an updated CMOM to meet the requirements of NR210.23(4). Update the following in the CMOM to meet the comments in the April 2, 2025, inspection report:	04/01/2026
1. The goals should be reviewed and updated for what the facility has for goals moving forward. Reword the CMOM goals to be measurable goals to work on each year. The CMOM goals should match the goals in the annual CMAR.	
2. Include a list of critical replacement parts. Also include an example O&M checklist as well as specific timing for the O&M items. For example, how often, and how much of the collection system is cleaned annually?	
3. More detail is needed on adequate training in the CMOM. The following should be included: records of continuing education credits, lists of regularly attended trainings, safety training and certifications with expirations, and mandatory emergency response trainings.	
4. The emergency response plan should include more detail on public notification procedures and emergency response training.	
5. The CMOM should include proper communications that need to be taken in the event of an emergency. This should include public notification procedures such as indicating varying notification based on risk of exposure (low -notify newspaper, high – door to door, barricades, etc.). Public notification templates should be included. Update DNR Contact to Laura Gerold.	

4.4 Operational Needs Review

Required Action	Due Date
Operational Needs Review: Complete an analysis of the wastewater plant (also known as an operational needs review) to identify and address operational and maintenance issues through identifying equipment and changes that are needed in the short term and the next five years in order to meet effluent limits.	07/01/2026
Submit Progress Report #1: Initiate and complete the actions by associated due dates in accordance with schedule include in the department approved operational needs review plan. Submit a report on the status of the actions taken during the previous six months and what is planned for the next six months. These reports shall be submitted every 6 months until compliance has been determined by the department.	01/01/2027
Submit Progress Report #2: Submit a report on the status of the actions taken during the previous six months to address effluent violations.	07/01/2027
Submit Progress Report #3: Submit a report on the status of the actions taken during the previous six months to address effluent violations.	01/01/2028

4.5 Operator Certification

Required Action	Due Date
Basic Level Certification in Subclass P: The Operator-in-Charge shall obtain basic level certification in Subclass P - Phosphorus by the due date.	04/01/2026
Basic Level Certification in Subclass B: The Operator-in-Charge shall obtain basic level certification in Subclass B - Solids Separation by the due date.	04/01/2026
Advanced Level Certification: The Operator-in-Charge shall obtain basic level certification in Advanced certification by the due date.	07/01/2026

5 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.

5.1 Reporting and Monitoring Requirements

5.1.1 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.

5.1.2 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.

5.1.3 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.

5.1.4 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.

5.1.5 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.

5.1.6 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.

5.1.7 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.

5.1.8 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.

5.2 System Operating Requirements

5.2.1 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.

5.2.2 Flow Meters

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

5.2.3 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.

5.2.4 Sludge Management

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

5.2.5 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.

5.2.6 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.

5.2.7 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.

5.2.8 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.

5.2.9 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.

5.2.10 Operator Certification

The wastewater treatment facility shall be under the direct supervision of a state certified operator. In accordance with s. NR 114.53, Wis. Adm. Code, every WPDES permitted treatment plant shall have a designated operator-in-charge holding a current and valid certificate. The designated operator-in-charge shall be certified at the level and in all subclasses of the treatment plant, except laboratory. Treatment plant owners shall notify the department of any changes in the operator-in-charge within 30 days. Note that s. NR 114.52(22), Wis. Adm. Code, lists types of facilities that are excluded from operator certification requirements (i.e. private sewage systems, pretreatment facilities discharging to public sewers, industrial wastewater treatment that consists solely of land disposal, agricultural digesters and concentrated aquatic production facilities with no biological treatment).

5.3 Sewage Collection Systems

5.3.1 Sanitary Sewage Overflows and Sewage Treatment Facility Overflows

5.3.1.1 Overflows Prohibited

Any overflow or discharge of wastewater from the sewage collection system or at the sewage treatment facility, other than from permitted outfalls, is prohibited. The permittee shall provide information on whether any of the following conditions existed when an overflow occurred:

• The sanitary sewer overflow or sewage treatment facility overflow was unavoidable to prevent loss of life, personal injury or severe property damage;

- There were no feasible alternatives to the sanitary sewer overflow or sewage treatment facility overflow such as the use of auxiliary treatment facilities or adequate back-up equipment, retention of untreated wastes, reduction of inflow and infiltration, or preventive maintenance activities;
- The sanitary sewer overflow or the sewage treatment facility overflow was caused by unusual or severe
 weather-related conditions such as large or successive precipitation events, snowmelt, saturated soil
 conditions, or severe weather occurring in the area served by the sewage collection system or sewage
 treatment facility; and
- The sanitary sewer overflow or the sewage treatment facility overflow was unintentional, temporary, and caused by an accident or other factors beyond the reasonable control of the permittee.

5.3.1.2 Permittee Response to Overflows

Whenever a sanitary sewer overflow or sewage treatment facility overflow occurs, the permittee shall take all feasible steps to control or limit the volume of untreated or partially treated wastewater discharged, and terminate the discharge as soon as practicable. Remedial actions, including those in s. NR 210.21 (3), Wis. Adm. Code, shall be implemented consistent with an emergency response plan developed under the CMOM program.

5.3.1.3 Permittee Reporting

Permittees shall report all sanitary sewer overflows and sewage treatment overflows as follows:

- The permittee shall notify the department by telephone, fax or email as soon as practicable, but no later than 24 hours from the time the permittee becomes aware of the overflow;
- The permittee shall, no later than five days from the time the permittee becomes aware of the overflow, provide to the department the information identified in this paragraph using department form number 3400-184. If an overflow lasts for more than five days, an initial report shall be submitted within 5 days as required in this paragraph and an updated report submitted following cessation of the overflow. At a minimum, the following information shall be included in the report:
 - a) The date and location of the overflow;
 - b) The surface water to which the discharge occurred, if any;
 - c) The duration of the overflow and an estimate of the volume of the overflow;
 - d) A description of the sewer system or treatment facility component from which the discharge occurred such as manhole, lift station, constructed overflow pipe, or crack or other opening in a pipe;
 - e) The estimated date and time when the overflow began and stopped or will be stopped;
 - f) The cause or suspected cause of the overflow including, if appropriate, precipitation, runoff conditions, areas of flooding, soil moisture and other relevant information;
 - g) Steps taken or planned to reduce, eliminate and prevent reoccurrence of the overflow and a schedule of major milestones for those steps;
 - h) A description of the actual or potential for human exposure and contact with the wastewater from the overflow;
 - i) Steps taken or planned to mitigate the impacts of the overflow and a schedule of major milestones for those steps;
 - j) To the extent known at the time of reporting, the number and location of building backups caused by excessive flow or other hydraulic constraints in the sewage collection system that occurred concurrently with the sanitary sewer overflow and that were within the same area of the sewage collection system as the sanitary sewer overflow; and
 - k) The reason the overflow occurred or explanation of other contributing circumstances that resulted in the overflow event. This includes any information available including whether the overflow was

unavoidable to prevent loss of life, personal injury, or severe property damage and whether there were feasible alternatives to the overflow.

NOTE: A copy of form 3400-184 for reporting sanitary sewer overflows and sewage treatment facility overflows may be obtained from the department or accessed on the department's web site at http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/wastewater/SSOreport.html. As indicated on the form, additional information may be submitted to supplement the information required by the form.

- The permittee shall identify each specific location and each day on which a sanitary sewer overflow or sewage treatment facility overflow occurs as a discrete sanitary sewer overflow or sewage treatment facility overflow occurrence. An occurrence may be more than one day if the circumstances causing the sanitary sewer overflow or sewage treatment facility overflow results in a discharge duration of greater than 24 hours. If there is a stop and restart of the overflow at the same location within 24 hours and the overflow is caused by the same circumstance, it may be reported as one occurrence. Sanitary sewer overflow occurrences at a specific location that are separated by more than 24 hours shall be reported as separate occurrences; and
- A permittee that is required to submit wastewater discharge monitoring reports under s. NR 205.07 (1) (r), Wis. Adm. Code, shall also report all sanitary sewer overflows and sewage treatment facility overflows on that report.

5.3.1.4 Public Notification

The permittee shall notify the public of any sanitary sewer and sewage treatment facility overflows consistent with its emergency response plan required under the CMOM (Capacity, Management, Operation and Maintenance) section of this permit and s. NR 210.23 (4) (f), Wis. Adm. Code. Such public notification shall occur promptly following any overflow event using the most effective and efficient communications available in the community. At minimum, a daily newspaper of general circulation in the county(s) and municipality whose waters may be affected by the overflow shall be notified by written or electronic communication.

5.3.2 Capacity, Management, Operation and Maintenance (CMOM) Program

- The permittee shall have written documentation of the Capacity, Management, Operation and Maintenance (CMOM) program components in accordance with s. NR 210.23(4), Wis. Adm. Code. Such documentation shall be available for Department review upon request. The Department may request that the permittee provide this documentation or prepare a summary of the permittee's CMOM program at the time of application for reissuance of the WPDES permit.
- The permittee shall implement a CMOM program in accordance with s. NR 210.23, Wis. Adm. Code.
- The permittee shall at least annually conduct a self-audit of activities conducted under the permittee's CMOM program to ensure CMOM components are being implemented as necessary to meet the general standards of s. NR 210.23(3), Wis. Adm. Code.

5.3.3 Sewer Cleaning Debris and Materials

All debris and material removed from cleaning sanitary sewers shall be managed to prevent nuisances, run-off, ground infiltration or prohibited discharges.

- Debris and solid waste shall be dewatered, dried and then disposed of at a licensed solid waste facility.
- Liquid waste from the cleaning and dewatering operations shall be collected and disposed of at a permitted wastewater treatment facility.
- Combination waste including liquid waste along with debris and solid waste may be disposed of at a licensed solid waste facility or wastewater treatment facility willing to accept the waste.

5.4 Surface Water Requirements

5.4.1 Permittee-Determined Limit of Quantitation Incorporated into this Permit

For pollutants with water quality-based effluent limits below the Limit of Quantitation (LOQ) in this permit, the LOQ calculated by the permittee and reported on the Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) is incorporated by reference into this permit. The LOQ shall be reported on the DMRs, shall be the lowest quantifiable level practicable, and shall be no greater than the minimum level (ML) specified in or approved under 40 CFR Part 136 for the pollutant at the time this permit was issued, unless this permit specifies a higher LOQ.

5.4.2 Appropriate Formulas for Effluent Calculations

The permittee shall use the following formulas for calculating effluent results to determine compliance with average concentration limits and mass limits and total load limits:

Weekly/Monthly/Six-Month/Annual Average Concentration = the sum of all daily results for that week/month/six-month/year, divided by the number of results during that time period. [Note: When a six-month average effluent limit is specified for Total Phosphorus the applicable periods are May through October and November through April, except in cases of Water Quality Trading, wherein the applicable periods are January through June and July through December.]

Weekly Average Mass Discharge (lbs/day): Daily mass = daily concentration (mg/L) x daily flow (MGD) x 8.34, then average the daily mass values for the week.

Monthly Average Mass Discharge (lbs/day): Daily mass = daily concentration (mg/L) x daily flow (MGD) x 8.34, then average the daily mass values for the month.

Six-Month Average Mass Discharge (lbs/day): Daily mass = daily concentration (mg/L) x daily flow (MGD) x 8.34, then average the daily mass values for the six-month period. [Note: When a six-month average effluent limit is specified for Total Phosphorus the applicable periods are May through October and November through April.]

Annual Average Mass Discharge (lbs/day): Daily mass = daily concentration (mg/L) x daily flow (MGD) x 8.34, then average the daily mass values for the entire year.

Total Monthly Discharge: = monthly average concentration (mg/L) x total flow for the month (MG/month) x 8.34.

Total Annual Discharge: = sum of total monthly discharges for the calendar year.

12-Month Rolling Sum of Total Monthly Discharge: = the sum of the most recent 12 consecutive months of Total Monthly Discharges.

5.4.3 Effluent Temperature Requirements

Weekly Average Temperature – If temperature limits are included in this permit, Weekly Average Temperature shall be calculated as the sum of all daily maximum results for that week divided by the number of daily maximum results during that time period.

Cold Shock Standard – Water temperatures of the discharge shall be controlled in a manner as to protect fish and aquatic life uses from the deleterious effects of cold shock pursuant to Wis. Adm. Code, s. NR 102.28. 'Cold Shock' means exposure of aquatic organisms to a rapid decrease in temperature and a sustained exposure to low temperature that induces abnormal behavior or physiological performance and may lead to death.

Rate of Temperature Change Standard – Temperature of a water of the state or discharge to a water of the state may not be artificially raised or lowered at such a rate that it causes detrimental health or reproductive effects to fish or aquatic life of the water of the state pursuant to Wis. Adm. Code, s. NR 102.29.

5.4.4 Visible Foam or Floating Solids

There shall be no discharge of floating solids or visible foam in other than trace amounts.

5.4.5 Surface Water Uses and Criteria

In accordance with NR 102.04, Wis. Adm. Code, surface water uses and criteria are established to govern water management decisions. Practices attributable to municipal, industrial, commercial, domestic, agricultural, land development or other activities shall be controlled so that all surface waters including the mixing zone meet the following conditions at all times and under all flow and water level conditions:

- Substances that will cause objectionable deposits on the shore or in the bed of a body of water, shall not be present in such amounts as to interfere with public rights in waters of the state.
- Floating or submerged debris, oil, scum or other material shall not be present in such amounts as to interfere with public rights in waters of the state.
- Materials producing color, odor, taste or unsightliness shall not be present in such amounts as to interfere with public rights in waters of the state.
- Substances in concentrations or in combinations which are toxic or harmful to humans shall not be present in amounts found to be of public health significance, nor shall substances be present in amounts which are acutely harmful to animal, plant or aquatic life.

5.4.6 Percent Removal

During any 30 consecutive days, the average effluent concentrations of BOD_5 and of total suspended solids shall not exceed 15% of the average influent concentrations, respectively. This requirement does not apply to removal of total suspended solids if the permittee operates a lagoon system and has received a variance for suspended solids granted under NR 210.07(2), Wis. Adm. Code.

5.4.7 Whole Effluent Toxicity (WET) Monitoring Requirements

In order to determine the potential impact of the discharge on aquatic organisms, static-renewal toxicity tests shall be performed on the effluent in accordance with the procedures specified in the "State of Wisconsin Aquatic Life Toxicity Testing Methods Manual, 2nd Edition" (PUB-WT-797, November 2004) as required by NR 219.04, Table A, Wis. Adm. Code). All of the WET tests required in this permit, including any required retests, shall be conducted on the Ceriodaphnia dubia and fathead minnow species. Receiving water samples shall not be collected from any point in contact with the permittee's mixing zone and every attempt shall be made to avoid contact with any other discharge's mixing zone.

5.4.8 Whole Effluent Toxicity (WET) Identification and Reduction

Within 60 days of a retest which showed positive results, the permittee shall submit a written report to the Biomonitoring Coordinator, Bureau of Water Quality, 101 S. Webster St., PO Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707-7921, which details the following:

- A description of actions the permittee has taken or will take to remove toxicity and to prevent the recurrence of toxicity;
- A description of toxicity reduction evaluation (TRE) investigations that have been or will be done to identify
 potential sources of toxicity, including the following actions:
 - a) Evaluate the performance of the treatment system to identify deficiencies contributing to effluent toxicity (e.g., operational problems, chemical additives, incomplete treatment)
 - b) Identify the compound(s) causing toxicity. Conduct toxicity screening tests on the effluent at a minimum of once per month for six months to determine if toxicity recurs. Screening tests are WET tests using fewer effluent concentrations conducted on the most sensitive species. If any of the screening tests contain toxicity, conduct a toxicity identification evaluation (TIE) to determine the cause. TIE methods are available from USEPA "Methods for Aquatic Toxicity Identification Evaluations: Phase I Toxicity Characterization Procedures (EPA/600/6-91/003) and "Toxicity Identification Evaluation: Characterization of Chronically Toxic Effluents, Phase I" (EPA/600/6-91/005F).

- c) Trace the compound(s) causing toxicity to their sources (e.g., industrial, commercial, domestic)
- d) Evaluate, select, and implement methods or technologies to control effluent toxicity (e.g., in-plant or pretreatment controls, source reduction or removal)
- Where corrective actions including a TRE have not been completed, an expeditious schedule under which corrective actions will be implemented;
- If no actions have been taken, the reason for not taking action.

The permittee may also request approval from the Department to postpone additional retests in order to investigate the source(s) of toxicity. Postponed retests must be completed after toxicity is believed to have been removed.

5.4.9 PFOS and PFOA Requirements

The laboratory performing the analysis on any samples shall be certified for the applicable PFAS compounds in the aqueous matrix by the Wisconsin Laboratory Certification Program established under s. 299.11, Wis. Stats., in accordance with s. NR 149.41, Wis. Adm. Code. All laboratories are required to utilize EPA Method 1633A for sampling PFAS in sludge.

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.

5.5 Land Application Requirements

5.5.1 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.

5.5.2 General Sludge Management Information

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

5.5.3 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.

5.5.4 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.

5.5.5 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) =

[Water Extractable Phosphorus (mg/kg, dry wt) ÷ Total Phosphorus (mg/kg, dry wt)] x 100

5.5.6 Monitoring and Calculating PCB Concentrations in Sludge

When sludge analysis for "PCB, Total Dry Wt" is required by this permit, the PCB concentration in the sludge shall be determined using either congener-specific analysis or Aroclor analysis. The permittee may decide which of these analyses is performed. Analyses shall be performed in accordance with the following provisions and Table EM in s. NR 219.04, Wis. Adm. Code:

- If congener-specific analysis is employed: All PCB congeners shall be delineated. Non-detects shall be treated as zero. The values that are between the limit of detection (LOD) and the limit of quantitation shall be used when calculating the total value of all congeners. All results shall be added together and the total PCB concentration by dry weight reported.
- If Aroclor analysis is employed, reporting protocols, consistent with s. NR 106.07(6)(e), should be as follows: If all Aroclors are less than the LOD, then the Total PCB Dry Wt result should be reported as less than the highest LOD. If a single Aroclor is detected, then that is what should be reported for the Total PCB result. If multiple Aroclors are detected, they should be summed and reported as Total PCBs. If the LOD cannot be achieved after using the appropriate clean up techniques, a reporting limit that is achievable for the Aroclors or each congener for the sample shall be determined. This reporting limit shall be reported and qualified indicating the presence of an interference.

5.5.7 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.

5.5.8 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.

5.5.9 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.

5.5.10 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.

5.5.11 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.

5.5.12 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:

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:

Geometric Mean = antilog[$(X_1 + X_2 + X_3 ... + X_n) \div n$]

Where $X = log_{10}$ 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	6.0×10^5	5.78
2	4.2×10^6	6.62
3	1.6×10^6	6.20
4	9.0×10^5	5.95
5	4.0×10^5	5.60
6	1.0×10^6	6.00
7	5.1×10^5	5.71

The geometric mean for the seven samples is determined by averaging the log_{10} 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 $5.98 = 9.5 \times 10^5$

5.5.13 Class B Sludge - Vector Control: Incorporation

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

5.5.14 Landfilling of Sludge

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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.

5.5.15 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.

6 Summary of Reports Due

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Description	Date	Page
Sludge Depth -Sludge Depth	January 1, 2028	15
Desludging Management Plan -Submit Desludging Management Plan	See Permit	15
CMOM Update -CMOM Update	April 1, 2026	15
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General Sludge Management Form 3400-48	prior to any significant sludge management changes	26
Characteristic Form 3400-49 and Lab Report	by January 31 following each year whether or not samples are analyzed	26
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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	27
Wastewater Discharge Monitoring Report	no later than the date indicated on the form	17

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:

Northeast Region, 2984 Shawano Ave, Green Bay, WI 54313-6727