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30-Day Public Notice for Stormwater Management in Sedgwick County

Beginning Date: December 15th, 2023

Comments Due: January 15th, 2024

Sedgwick County Public Works wants to inform interested persons of KDHE's intent to issue a Kansas/Federal Water Pollution Control Permit to Sedgwick County. Kansas Permit No. M-AR94-SU01 and Federal Permit No. KSR410032

The proposed action is to issue a new individual NPDES Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) permit from an existing MS4 general permit. The proposed MS4 permit requires the permittee to develop, implement, and enforce a stormwater management program designed to reduce the discharge of pollutants from the MS4 to the maximum extent practicable, to protect water quality, and to satisfy the appropriate water quality requirements for the Clean Water Act and Kansas surface water quality statutes and regulations. The proposed permit requires the permittee to update the Stormwater Management Program document, implement six minimum control measures and implement best management practices to reduce any identified total maximum daily load (TMDL) regulated pollutants if listed in the permit (TMDL Table). If there is an identified TMDL regulated pollutant, surface water monitoring may be required on the impaired water body to evaluate performance of the best management practices required of industrial stormwater discharges and oversight of construction activities within the MS4 may be required if it is applicable. The proposed permit requires the submittal of an annual report that addresses all compliance requirements for the previous year.

The draft MS4 permit is available on the Sedgwick County's Stormwater Management website for download, <https://www.sedgwickcounty.org/public-works/stormwater-management/> The draft MS4 permit is also posted in the lobby of the Sedgwick County Public Works Building located at 1144 S Seneca, Wichita, KS 67213-4443 and in the lobby of the Sedgwick County Clerk's Office located at 100 N. Broadway Ave, Ste. 620, Wichita, KS 67202-2206.

All questions or comments related to the new MS4 permit shall be emailed to scott.lindebak@sedgwick.gov or communicated by phone at (316) 660-1777.