

PRONTO WASH

Michael,

Attached are my comments to the Region 8 NPDES Permit. I have shared this with over 20 of the current CoPermittees and none of them responded with any concern. Several have validated the comments are reasonable and even necessary.

Below is a summary of the attached comments:

1. Shift the focus from water containment to contamination capture
1. It is the contaminants that are the issue
2. By having the standard be that no water can leave the property, you leave contaminants that will be picked up and taken into the MS4 in the next rain
2. Set standards at Best Available Technology
1. Best Available Technology is reasonable and is being utilized
3. Require Mobile Car Wash and Detail operators to obtain Inspection and Education in Business License Process
1. Inspection to verify compliance of process
2. Opportunity to educate Industry

When is the Region 8 meeting to receive public comments and review the Permit? I request notification of the meeting.

I look forward to working with you and the Board to reasonably utilize Best Available Technology to achieve these evolving standards.

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