# STATE OF CALIFORNIA CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD LOS ANGELES REGION

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# FACT SHEET WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR CARRIER CORPORATION (FORMER CARRIER FACILITY)

NPDES NO. CAG994004 CI-7786

### FACILITY ADDRESS

# **FACILITY MAILING ADDRESS**

931 S. Azusa Avenue City of Industry, California 17770 Cartwright Road, Suite 500 Irvine, CA 92614

#### PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Carrier Corporation discharges wastewater from a groundwater cleanup project located at 931 South Azusa Avenue, City of Industry, California. The soil and groundwater beneath the site are impacted with volatile organic compounds (VOCs). Remediation of the impacted soil and groundwater is ongoing at the facility. Prior to discharge, the VOCs from groundwater are removed by passing it through air strippers.

#### **VOLUME AND DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGE:**

Up to 1.152 million gallons per day of treated groundwater will be discharged into the storm water catch basin located at 16950 East Chestnut Street (Latitude: 34° 00' 28", Longitude: 117° 56' 01"). The discharge flows to San Jose Creek, thence to the San Gabriel River, a water of the United States. The site location map and flow schematic diagram are shown in Figures 1 and 2, respectively.

#### **APPLICABLE EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS**

Based on the information provided in the NPDES Application Supplemental Requirements and previous monitoring reports, the following constituents listed in the table below have been determined to show reasonable potential to exist in your discharge. The discharge of treated groundwater flows into the San Jose Creek, downstream of 71 Freeway, thence to San Gabriel River. This stream reach of the San Jose Creek is designated as MUN (Potential) beneficial use. The discharge of groundwater satisfies the provisions for creekside construction dewatering operations in Order R4-2003-0111. Therefore, Attachment B.8.d. of the Order is not applicable to your discharge except for boron and nitrogen.

The table below lists the effluent limits applicable to your discharge.

| Constituents                            | Units | Discharge Limitations |                 |
|---|-------|-----------------------|-----------------|
|   |       | Daily Maximum         | Monthly Average |
| Nitrogen <sup>1</sup>                   | mg/L  | 8                     | -               |
| Boron                                   | mg/L  | 1                     | -               |
| Total Suspended Solids                  | mg/L  | 150                   | 50              |
| Turbidity                               | NTU   | 150                   | 50              |
| BOD <sub>5</sub> 20°C                   | mg/L  | 30                    | 20              |
| Oil and Grease                          | mg/L  | 15                    | 10              |
| Settleable Solids                       | ml/L  | 0.3                   | 0.1             |
| Sulfides                                | mg/L  | 1.0                   |                 |
| Phenols                                 | mg/L  | 1.0                   |                 |
| Residual Chlorine                       | mg/L  | 0.1                   |                 |
| Methylene Blue Active Substances (MBAS) | mg/L  | 0.5                   |                 |
| Volatile Organic Compounds              |       |                       |                 |
| 1,1,2-trichloroethane                   | μg/L  | 5                     |                 |
| 1,1,1-trichloroethane                   | μg/L  | 200                   |                 |
| 1,1-dichloroethane                      | μg/L  | 5                     |                 |
| 1,1-dichloroethylene                    | μg/L  | 6                     | 3.2             |
| 1,2-trans-dichloroethylene              | μg/L  | 10                    |                 |
| Methylene chloride                      | μg/L  | 3,200                 | 1,600           |
| Tetrachloroethylene                     | μg/L  | 5.0                   |                 |
| Trichloroethylene                       | μg/L  | 5.0                   |                 |
| Vinyl chloride                          | μg/L  | 0.5                   |                 |

## FREQUENCY OF DISCHARGE:

The discharge of treated groundwater will be continuous.

# **REUSE OF WATER:**

Offsite disposal of treated waste is not feasible due to high cost of disposal. Discharge to the sewer is not feasible because of inaccessibility and the high cost of sewer connection. The property and the immediate vicinity have no landscaped areas that require irrigation. Since there are no feasible reuse options, the groundwater will be discharged to the storm drain.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Nitrate-nitrogen plus nitrite nitrogen.