State of California CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD LOS ANGELES REGION

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WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR

PACIFIC ENERGY GROUP LLC (West Hynes Facility Hydrostatic Testing Project) NPDES NO. CAG994004 CI-8433

FACILITATION LOCATION

5900 Cherry Avenue Long Beach, CA 90805

FACILITY MAILING ADDRESS

5900 Cherry Avenue Long Beach, CA 90805-4408

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Pacific Energy Group LLC (PEG) operates a tank farm and wastewater treatment systems at their West Hynes tank farm facility located at 5900 Cherry Avenue, Long Beach, California. Discharge from the subject project is regulated under General NPDES Permit CAG994004 (Order No. R4-2003-0111) which was issued on March 25, 2004 was revised on June 19, 2008. PEG submitted a Notice of Intent (NOI) form, and analytical results of wastewater samples to continue enrollment under the General NPDES Permit. Based on the wastewater quality data provided, staff have determined that discharge of treated hydrostatic test wastewater meets the conditions specified in General Permit No. CAG994004; Order No. R4-2008-0032 which was adopted by the Board on June 5, 2008. The on-site treatment process consists of an oil/water separator, particulate filtration unit, and a granular activated carbon (GAC) unit. The treated hydrostatic test water will be tested prior to discharge to the storm drain.

VOLUME AND DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGE

Up to one million gallons per day of treated wastewater is discharged to a local storm drain at Discharge Point 001 (located at Latitude 33° 46' 01",Longitude 118° 11' 18"), which flows into the Los Angeles River, a water of the United States. The site location map and the schematic of waste flow diagram are shown as Figures 1 and 2, respectively.

APPLICABLE EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS

Based on the information provided in the NPDES Application Supplemental Requirements, the following constituents in the Table below have been determined to show reasonable potential to exist in the discharge. The treated wastewater discharges flow into the Los Angeles River between Figueroa Street and L.A. River Estuary (Willow Street); therefore, the discharge limitations in Attachment B.7.d. of Order No. R4-2008-0032 are applicable to the discharge.

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This Table lists the specific constituents and effluent limitations applicable to the discharge.

		Discharge Limitations	
Constituents	Units	Daily Maximum	Monthly Average
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	150	50
Turbidity	NTU	150	50
BOD ₅ 20°C	mg/L	30	20
Oil and Grease	mg/L	15	10
Total Dissolved Solids	mg/L	1500	
Sulfate	mg/L	350	
Chloride	mg/L	190	
Nitrogen*	mg/L	8.0	
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	
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons	μg/L	100	
Benzene	μg/L	1.0	
Ethylbezene	μg/L	700	
Toluene	μg/L	150	
Xylenes	μg/L	1750	

^{*} Nitrate-nitrogen plus nitrite nitrogen

FREQUENCY OF DISCHARGE

The discharge of treated hydrostatic test water will be intermittent.

REUSE OF WATER

It is not economically feasible to haul all the wastewater to off-site disposal facility. Due to the large volume of treated wastewater that is generated, it is not feasible to discharge the wastewater to the sanitary sewer system. The subject facility and the immediate vicinity have no landscaped areas that require irrigation using the wastewater. There are no other feasible reuse options for the discharge. Therefore, the wastewater is discharged to the storm drain in compliance with the requirements of the attached order.



