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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

October 31, 2025

Ms. Natalia Rodriguez, Consultant
ECG
6823 Old Quarry Lane
Austin, Texas 68631

RE: Notice of Preliminary Decision and Draft Permit
Applicant Name: Town of Pecos City
Facility Name: Pecos WWTP
Permit No.: WQ0010245001
Customer Reference Number: CN600834907
Regulated Entity Number: RN103123204
Type of Application: Renewal

Dear Ms. Rodriguez:

The executive director has completed the technical review of the above referenced application, received on January 10, 2025 and has prepared a preliminary decision and draft permit.

You are now required to publish another notice of your proposed activity. To help you meet the requirements associated with this notice, we have included the following items:

- Instructions for Public Notice
- Notice for Newspaper Publication
- Publisher's Affidavits
- Draft Permit
- Executive Director's Preliminary Decision
- Public Notice Verification Form

You must follow all the directions in the enclosed instructions. The most common mistakes are the unauthorized changing of notice, wording, or font. If you fail to follow these instructions, you may be required to republish the notices.

The following requirements are also described in the enclosed instructions. However, due to their importance, they are highlighted here as well.

October 30, 2025

Permit No. WQ0010245001

1. You must publish the enclosed notice within as soon as possible, but no later than 45 days from the date on the cover letter. **You may be required to publish the notice in more than one newspaper, including a newspaper published in an alternative language, to satisfy all of the notice requirements.**
2. On or before the date you publish notice, you must place the following items in a public place in the county where the facility is or will be located.
 - (a) a copy of your permit application, including any subsequent revisions;
 - (b) the executive director's preliminary decision as contained in the technical summary and fact sheet; and
 - (c) the draft permit, including any subsequent revisions.

These items must be accessible to the public for review and copying, must be updated to reflect changes to the application, and must remain in place until the commission has taken action on the application or the commission refers issues to the State Office of Administrative Hearings.

3. For each publication, submit proof of publication of the notice that shows the publication date and newspaper name to the Office of the Chief Clerk within **30 calendar days** after notice is published in the newspaper.
4. Return the original enclosed Public Notice Verification and the Publisher's Affidavits to the Office of the Chief Clerk within **30 calendar days** after the notice is published in the newspaper.

If you do not comply with **all** the requirements described in the instructions, further processing of your application may be suspended or the agency may take other actions.

If you have any questions regarding publication requirements, please contact the Office of Legal Services at (512) 239-0600. If you have any questions regarding the content of the notice, please contact the individual in the permitting area assigned to your application.

Sincerely,



Laurie Gharis
Chief Clerk
Office of the Chief Clerk
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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Enclosures