

SILICON VALLEY CLEAN WATER

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO DISCHARGERS

You have contacted Silicon Valley Clean Water (SVCW) regarding the discharge of liquid waste into the sanitary sewers. **Be advised that it is illegal to discharge hazardous waste into the sanitary sewers. It is the responsibility of your company to determine whether the liquid waste is classified as a hazardous waste; SVCW does not make this determination.** To help with this evaluation you should contact your facility's Environmental Health and Safety staff, a private consultant, or San Mateo County Environmental Health at (650) 363-4305.

Once the waste is determined to be non-hazardous, SVCW will evaluate the waste for acceptance into the sanitary sewers. Complete the attached form and fax to SVCW. The review process typically takes 1-3 days and the results will be returned to you by fax.

You should be aware that many non-hazardous wastes may impact the SVCW treatment processes. Our treatment facility was designed to treat a limited range of pollutants found in residential wastewater. We encourage you to pursue any available reuse or recycle options before considering discharge to the sanitary sewers.

SVCW LOW VOLUME DISCHARGE AUTHORIZATION FORM

File # 70-60.02

INFORMATION TO BE COMPLETED BY DISCHARGER

Name of Discharger:

Address of Discharger:

City:

Zip:

Person to Contact for More Information:

Phone:

Fax:

Description, Source of Wastewater and Pollutants:

Discharge volume expected per day: Maximum _____ gallons; Average _____ gallons

Discharge Frequency/Period: _____

Is this waste a hazardous waste under federal or state law? YES NO

Is the volume of process wastewater from all manufacturing at this site less than 1000 gallons per day? YES NO

Waste Certification: I certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I certify that the proposed discharge is not a hazardous waste. I understand that it is illegal to discharge hazardous waste to the sanitary sewers.

Signed _____ Title _____ Date _____

_____ (print name if different than person to contact above)

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REVIEW AND AUTHORIZATION TO BE COMPLETED BY SVCW

Expected Impact of Discharge

Collection System:

Pump Station:

SVCW Plant Processes:

Effluent Quality:

Sludge Quality:

Air Quality / Odors:

Worker Health & Safety:

Additional Discussion:

Discharge Authorization

The discharge described above is allowed is not allowed

Maximum allowable flowrate: _____ gallons/day; _____ gallons/minute

Signed _____ Title _____ Date _____

Other conditions:

This authorization applies only to the discharge described above. This authorization will remain in effect for 5 years; the discharger must reapply in order to renew this authorization. The discharger must contact SVCW if there is an increase in discharge volume or pollutant concentration. The discharge of hazardous waste is not allowed. The discharge must be in compliance with the SVCW Regulations and any applicable provisions of Federal, State or local regulations.

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