



# STATE OF NEVADA

Department of Conservation & Natural Resources

DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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## NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

Web posting 5/20/10

The Administrator, Division of Environmental Protection, Carson City, Nevada is issuing the following notice of proposed action under the Nevada Revised Statutes and the Federal Clean Water Act. The Administrator has received an application for issuance of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit NV0023787 from the following applicant:

**Atlantic Richfield Company (ARCO)  
P. O. Box 1257  
San Ramon, CA 94583**

ARCO requests an NPDES permit for the discharge of groundwater extracted and treated at the site of a gasoline service station, ARCO Station #5326, located at 333 East Charleston Blvd., Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada. The Applicant proposes to extract and treat hydrocarbon contaminated groundwater impacted by previously leaking underground storage tanks, and discharge the treated water, under specific limitations and requirements, to the Las Vegas Wash via Clark County stormdrain system. The discharge will be limited to a maximum flow of 0.0202 million gallons per day (14 gallons per minute). Based on a review of the NPDES permit application, the Division has made the tentative determination to issue the NPDES permit for a period of five (5) years.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding the issuance of either permit, or to request a hearing pursuant to the Nevada Administrative Code, Water Pollution Control, should submit their comments or request, in writing, within thirty (30) days of the date of newspaper publication, hand-delivered or postmarked no later than **5:00 P.M. on June 23, 2010**, either in person or by mail to:

**Department of Conservation and Natural Resources  
Division of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Water Pollution Control  
901 S. Stewart Street, Suite 4001  
Carson City, Nevada 89701**

Comments and/or hearing requests received via facsimile or e-mail before **5:00 P.M. June 23, 2010** will also be accepted. All requests for hearings must indicate the interest of the person filing the request and the reason(s) why a hearing is warranted. All comments or objections received within the thirty (30) day comment period will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. If written comments indicate a significant degree of public interest in the proposed permit, the Administrator shall hold a public hearing. The public notice of such hearings will be issued not less than thirty (30) days prior to the public hearing date.

If no hearing is held and the determinations of the Administrator are substantially changed from the tentative

determinations, the Administrator will give public notice of the revised determinations. Additional comments and objections will be considered at that time.

The applications, proposed permits, comments received, and other information are on file and may be copied or copies may be obtained by writing to the above address or by contacting Janine Hartley, P.E., Bureau of Water Pollution Control at (775) 687-9458, or at [jhartley@ndep.nv.gov](mailto:jhartley@ndep.nv.gov). The office facsimile number is (775) 687-4684. This notice and the Fact Sheets for these facilities are also available on the NDEP website at [www.ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm](http://www.ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm).