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Onsite Sewage Disposal Systems Program
New General Permit: GNEVOSDS09
Commercial Septic Program

Subject: New Onsite Sewage Disposal System (OSDS) General Permit: GNEVOSDS09

The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) is currently operating its commercial septic system program (OSDS program) under general permit: GU9201-40xxx; this permit will expire on July 22nd, 2009. As a result, NDEP will be issuing a new general permit to govern its Onsite Sewage Disposal Systems (OSDS) program for the next five (5) years; this permit will be issued under the denomination: GNEVOSDS09.

Permitted facilities that are currently operating under the general commercial septic permit GU9201-40xxx will be transferred to this new permit GNEVOSDS09. General permit fees remain the same.

A copy of this permit will be placed at the following web link: http://ndep.nv.gov/bwpc/bwpc01.htm
Copies of this permit are also available upon request by contacting Alexi Lanza, P.E. Bureau of Water Pollution Control at (775) 687-9468, or at alanza@ndep.nv.gov.

Please note that this general permit (GNEVOSDS09) is for the treatment & disposal of domestic sewage only; industrial waste disposal is strictly prohibited.

As a reminder, additions, modifications and/or repairs to any OSDS system, excluding emergency repairs or actions to protect human life and the environment, shall be designed by a professional engineer certified by the State of Nevada, and be submitted and approved by NDEP prior to any work taking place. In the case of emergency repairs, the responsible party shall notify the NDEP within one (1) business day, and in writing in five (5) business days of the reason for repairs and actions taken.

If you have any questions about this new permit or the Nevada OSDS program, please contact me at (775) 687-9468.

Respectfully;

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