

# WASTE DISCHARGE PERMIT NO. SC-100064-FSA

#### Pursuant to:

Greater Vancouver Sewerage & Drainage District Sewer Use Bylaw No. 299, 2007 (as amended) and the BC Environmental Management Act, S.B.C. 2003, c.53

# Issued to:

GFL Environmental Services Inc.
(the "Permittee")

## To Authorize:

the discharge of Wastewater to Sewer from a hazardous waste storage and treatment facility

#### Located at

7720 Anvil Way, Surrey, BC V3W 4H7

#### **Effective Period:**

The terms and conditions set out in the Permit apply to the existing or planned works on March 30, 2022

All previous versions of this Waste Discharge Permit are hereby rescinded and rendered null and void.

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# **SCHEDULE A**

This Schedule sets out requirements for the quantity and quality of the discharge to Sewer.

#### 1. AUTHORIZED RATE OF DISCHARGE

The Permittee shall not exceed the following:

### Sample Point: 1

Maximum daily discharge flow rate: 200.00 m³/d
 Maximum instantaneous peak flow rate: 2.80 L/s

#### 2. AUTHORIZED DISCHARGE CRITERIA

a) The Permittee shall not discharge Restricted Waste or other Waste, as defined in the Bylaw, including but not limited to the following (regardless of sample type):

Parameter	Authorized Limit	Notes
рН	5.5 - 10.5 pH Units	
Total Suspended Solids	600 mg/L	
Oil & Grease Hydrocarbon	15 mg/L	
Total Oil & Grease	150 mg/L	
Cyanide	1 mg/L	
Sulphate	1500 mg/L	
Sulphide	1 mg/L	
Mercury - total	0.05 mg/L	
Benzene	0.1 mg/L	
Chlorophenols	0.05 mg/L	
Phenols	1 mg/L	
Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons	0.05 mg/L	
Total BETX	1 mg/L	
Aluminum - total	50 mg/L	
Arsenic - total	1 mg/L	
Boron - total	50 mg/L	
Cadmium - total	0.2 mg/L	
Chromium - total	4 mg/L	
Cobalt - total	5 mg/L	
Copper - total	2 mg/L	
Iron - total	10 mg/L	
Lead - total	1 mg/L	

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Parameter	Authorized Limit	Notes
Manganese - total	5 mg/L	
Molybdenum - total	1 mg/L	
Nickel - total	2 mg/L	
Selenium - total	1 mg/L	
Silver - total	1 mg/L	
Zinc - total	3 mg/L	

b) The Permittee shall not discharge Restricted Waste or other Waste, as defined in the Bylaw, with the following exceptions (regardless of sample type):

Parameter	Authorized Limit	Notes
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	No Limit	

c) The Permittee shall not discharge Prohibited Waste, Storm Water or Uncontaminated Water, as defined in the bylaw.

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#### SCHEDULE B

This Schedule sets out requirements and locations for the approved sample points, waste sources, and works and procedures to treat and/or control the discharges to Sewer.

### 1. SAMPLE POINTS, WASTE SOURCES, WORKS & PROCEDURES

#### SAMPLE POINT: 1

This sample point is considered to be a point of discharge to Sewer. The approved sample point location is described and is illustrated in the photo(s) below.

Description: The outlet from a sump associated with the existing activated carbon filters and two wastewater storage tanks.

#### Source: **All Plant Sources**

- Aqueous Phase from processing Oil Contaminated Waste (<50% water by volume)</li>
- Aqueous Phase from processing Oil Contaminated Waste (>50% water by volume)
- · Aqueous Phase from processing of Flammable Liquids including gasoline, diesel fuel, nonchlorinated solvents
- Oil Contaminated Sludge Filtrate
- Wash Water from Process Equipment Cleaning (includes cleaning of on-site mobile
- Contaminated Storm Water from Tanker Loading/Unloading Area
- Groundwater and Storm Water Contaminated with Hydrocarbons
- Groundwater and Storm Water Contaminated with Inorganics
- Groundwater and Storm Water Contaminated with Leachate
- Storm Water Contaminated with De-Icing Fluid
- Wash Water From Marine Maintenance Work
- Fire Fighting Waters
- Catch Basin Wash Waters
- Non-Hazardous Industrial Wastewaters
- Wash Waters Contaminated with Latex
- Wash Waters Contaminated with Ink

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Type:

Continuous

Works and Procedures	Completion Date
Pre-filtration	Completed
Micro-filtration	Completed
Storage tanks (2)	Completed
pH adjustment	Completed
Electro-coagulation cell treatment tanks (2)	Completed
Polymer and peroxide addition	Completed
Vacuum filter	Completed
Surge tank	Completed
Two activated carbon filters in series	Completed
Spill containment works	Completed
Continuous flow monitoring and recording	Completed
Good operating practices	Completed

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# Photograph of Sample Point 1:



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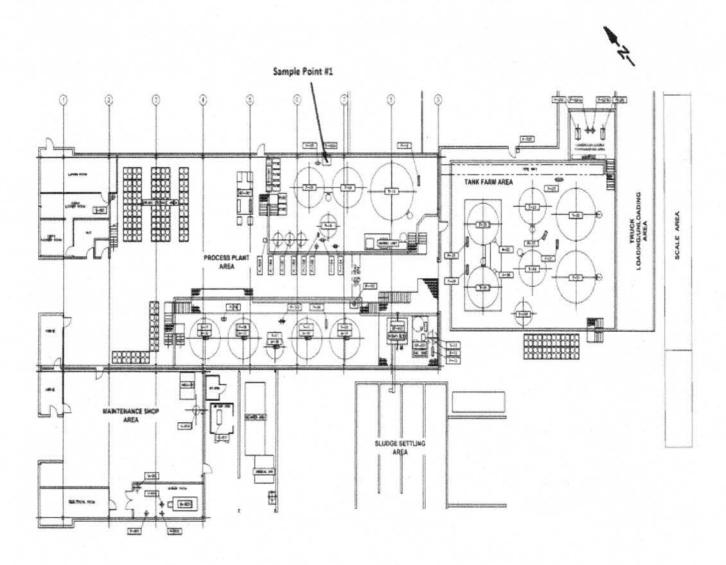
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# **SCHEDULE B**

# 2. SITE PLAN(S)



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#### SCHEDULE C

This Schedule sets out standard conditions and requirements for emergency procedures.

#### 1. STANDARD CONDITIONS

- a) Except as otherwise provided in this Permit, all terms, conditions and definitions stipulated in the Bylaw shall apply to this Permit.
- b) Pursuant to the Bylaw, the Sewage Control Manager (the Manager) may amend the terms and conditions of this Permit.
- c) All records required by this permit shall be kept available for a minimum period of one year.

#### 2. WORKS AND PROCEDURES

- a) All authorized works, procedures and requirements shall be employed at all times during any discharge to sewer. As applicable, all such works shall be inspected and calibrated regularly and maintained in good working condition.
- b) The Manager may require that additional works be installed if the existing works do not provide an acceptable level of treatment. The Manager must authorize new works or alterations to existing works. The Manager must authorize new waste sources.

#### 3. NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES

The Permittee shall immediately report to Metro Vancouver at 604-643-8488 (24 hours):

- a) Spills with the potential to be discharged to the Sanitary Sewer.
- b) Failure of authorized works or conditions and/or failure to carry out authorized procedures that will or have the potential to result in a Permit limit being exceeded.
- c) Discharge pH less than 2 or greater than 12.5.

#### 4. BY-PASSES

The discharge of Wastes that by-pass any authorized works or is not in accordance with procedures designated by the Permit is prohibited, unless prior authorization of the Manager is obtained.

#### 5. DISCHARGE MONITORING

- a) All sampling and sample handling of wastewater discharges, including sample containers, storage, preservation and hold time requirements shall be carried out in accordance with all prescribed requirements stated within the latest edition of the "British Columbia Environmental Laboratory Manual" published by the Ministry of Environment, Province of British Columbia or "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater" published by the American Public Health Association, or an alternate standard authorized by the Manager.
- b) With the exception of pH measurements, all samples shall be analyzed by an independent laboratory accredited through the latest version of ISO/IEC 17025 unless otherwise authorized by the Manager.

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- c) Laboratories used by the Permittee must also be accredited by the Canadian Association for Laboratory Accreditation and/or the Standards Council of Canada for all parameters analyzed and must participate in relevant proficiency testing programs for each parameter.
- d) Any changes in method or location of monitoring must be authorized by the Manager.
- e) Additional monitoring and/or reporting shall be undertaken by the Permittee when required by the Manager.

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#### SCHEDULE D

This Schedule sets out the requirements for the monitoring of the discharge to Sewer.

#### **DISCHARGE SAMPLING AND ANALYSES**

#### 1. FLOW MEASUREMENTS

The Permittee shall measure or estimate the discharge flow to sanitary sewer during each month of operation using the method(s) authorized in Schedule B and record for reporting purposes the following:

- Total discharge volume (m³) for the month for sample point(s) 1
- Number of days of discharge to sewer during the month for sample point(s) 1
- Maximum daily discharge flow rate (m³/d) during the month for sample point(s) 1

#### 2. CONTINUOUS MEASUREMENTS

The Permittee shall continuously measure the discharge pH during the period of discharge to sewer for sample point(s) 1 and record for reporting purposes the following:

- The total number of hours of discharge below the authorized pH range and the total number of hours of discharge above the authorized pH range during each month of operation.
- Total number of hours of discharge during the month.

#### 3. SAMPLING PROGRAM

#### **Continuous Discharge Sampling:**

The Permittee shall record for reporting purposes for each sample the following:

- Sample date
- Sample collection time or sample collection start and stop time(s) if applicable
- Total daily discharge volume (m³) on the date of sampling

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### SCHEDULE D

#### **SAMPLE POINT: 1**

### **Continuous Discharges:**

On one normal operating day once per month collect 1 set of grab samples and analyze for:

- pH
- Oil & Grease Hydrocarbon
- Cyanide
- Sulphate
- Sulphide
- Benzene
- Chlorophenols
- Phenols
- Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons
- Tetrachloroethylene
- Total BETX

On one normal operating day once per month collect 1 set of composite samples and analyze for:

- Biochemical Oxygen Demand
- Total Suspended Solids
- Mercury total
- Total Metals by ICP Scan including:

Aluminum, Arsenic, Boron, Cadmium, Chromium, Cobalt, Copper, Iron, Lead, Manganese, Molybdenum, Nickel, Selenium, Silver, Zinc

Grab sample pH analysis must be conducted immediately upon sampling.

Unless otherwise specified, composite samples shall consist of equal portions of grab samples, collected at a frequency of at least one per hour during discharge to sewer.

If composite sampling is specified, grab samples shall be taken during the period of composite sampling unless noted otherwise in this Schedule.

Unless otherwise specified, all samples should be taken during normal operations.

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#### SCHEDULE D

The Permittee shall maintain a tracking system, in a written or retrievable electronic form, to cross reference the following information in regard to the receipt, treatment and discharge of all waste to sewer:

- · Date of receipt of waste
- · Waste generator identification including name, address and business type
- · Source or type of process generating the waste
- Description of waste material, as identified by the Hazardous Waste Regulation (BC Reg. 63/88) and/or Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulation (if applicable).

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#### SCHEDULE E

This Schedule sets out reporting requirements for this Permit.

#### 1. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

By April 30, 2022 and quarterly thereafter for the term of this permit:

The Permittee shall submit a report detailing the results of the discharge sampling and analyses program, as specified, for the previous calendar quarter including lab reports. This information shall be submitted electronically using the supplied password-enabled web based application.

Should a violation of any term or condition of the Permit be noted, the report shall include a summary of the investigation into the cause of the violation and the corrective actions taken or proposed to prevent future violations. This does not preclude the immediate notification requirements specified in Schedule C.

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