



DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES

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August 14, 2018

Maria Garduna
Black Hills Energy
PO Box 1400
Rapid City, SD 57709

Dear Maria Garduna:

Thank you for submitting your Notice of Intent for the South Dakota General Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction Activities. This letter grants you coverage under this general permit for the project listed below in Pennington County, SD. This coverage does not relieve you from complying with other state and local requirements or from obtaining other required permits. **All contractors who will be doing dirt work or who will be responsible for implementing sediment and erosion controls must submit a Contractor Authorization form identifying the contractor.** The contractor will then be considered a co-permittee and will also be responsible for complying with the general permit.

You must maintain your site in compliance with the permit conditions. Refer to Section 3.0 for effluent limits and Section 4.0 for Pollution Prevention Plan requirements. Your project's Permit Number is **SDR10J162**. Please refer to this number in all future correspondence.

Project Information (Please check to be certain this information is correct):

Ron Williams – Project Site Contact Person
Black Hills Energy West Rapid City Substation & Storage Yard Improvements (PCN: N/A)
Section 4, Township 2N, Range 7E
Latitude 44.087604°; Longitude 103.263880°
Effective Date: **August 14, 2018**

Thank you for preserving the natural resources of South Dakota. If you have any questions or need any guidance, please contact me at 1-800-SDSTORM (1-800-737-8676).

Sincerely,

Katie Luce
Stormwater Program Assistant
Surface Water Quality Program
stormwater@state.sd.us

cc: Mary Bosworth, City of Rapid City
Ron Williams, 409 Deadwood Ave, Rapid City, SD 57702

Permit No.: SDR10J162

Project: Black Hills Energy West Rapid City Substation & Storage Yard Improvements

SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

General Permit Authorizing Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction Activities Under the South Dakota Surface Water Discharge System

In compliance with the provisions of the South Dakota Water Pollution Control Act and the Administrative Rules of South Dakota (ARSD), Article 74:52, owners and operators of stormwater discharges from **construction activities**, located in the state of South Dakota are authorized to discharge in accordance with the conditions and requirements set forth herein.

This General Permit shall become effective on April 1, 2018.

General Permit coverage for Black Hills Energy shall become effective August 14, 2018.

This General Permit and the authorization to discharge shall expire at midnight, **March 31, 2023.**

Signed this **23rd** day of **March, 2018,**



Authorized Permitting Official

Steven M. Pirner

Secretary

Department of Environment and Natural Resources