

**North Dakota Department of
Environmental Quality Public Notice:
Reissue of an NDPDES Permit**

Public Notice Date: August 05, 2026

Purpose of Public Notice

The Department intends to reissue the following North Dakota Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NDPDES) Discharge Permit under the authority of Section 61-28-04 of the North Dakota Century Code.

Permit Information

Public Notice Number: - - - ND-2026-023

Permit Number: - - - - - ND0026204

Application Date: - - - - March 31, 2026

Application Number: - - - HQM-F5C9-PQ5VW

Applicant Name: - - Assoc Potato Growers
Drayton

Mailing Address: - - - 203 E Highway 66
Drayton, ND 58225-0297

Telephone Number: - - - (701) 454-3910

Proposed Permit

Expiration Date: - September 30, 2031

Facility Description

The application is for Associated Potato

Growers Inc. – Drayton Facility, a washing and bagging potato plant. The wash water is contained in a waste stabilization pond located in the SW1/4, Section 23, Township 159 North, Range 51 West. Any discharge would be to an unnamed drainage, a Class III stream. The unnamed drainage flows to the Middle Red River, a Class I Stream.

Tentative Determinations

Proposed effluent limitations and other permit conditions have been made by the department. They assure that State Water Quality Standards and applicable provisions of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (FWPCA) will be protected.

Information Requests

and Public Comments

Copies of the application, draft permit, and related documents are available for review. Comments or requests should be directed to the North Dakota Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Water Quality, 4201 Normandy Street, Bismarck ND 58503-1324 or by calling 701.328.5210.

All comments received by September 05, 2026 will be considered prior to finalizing the permit. If there is significant interest, a public hearing will be scheduled. Otherwise, the Department will issue the final permit within sixty (60) days of this notice.

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(August 5, 2026)

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