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NEW MEXICO WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER APPEAL OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLIANCE ORDER ISSUED TO ROCKHILL DAIRY, LLC CHAVES COUNTY, NM, WQCC 17-08 (A) The New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) will hold a public hearing on January 9, 2018, in Mabry Hall of the Jerry Apodaca Education Building, located at 300 Don Gaspar, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501, to consider an appeal filed by Mr. Abel Villalpando dba Rockhill Dairy and Rockhill Dairy, LLC ("Petitioner") to Administrative Compliance Order No. GWQB 17-02 (CO) ("ACO") issued by the Ground Water Quality Bureau ("GWQB") to Mr. Villalpando and Rockhill Dairy located at 7631 Vineyard Road, Dexter, New Mexico 88230 ("Facility"). The Facility is a dairy facility discharging approximately 80,000 gallons per day of wastewater. The ACO imposes upon Petitioner civil penalties for violations of 20.6.2.3104, 20.6.6.8, and 20.6.6.10 NMAC, discharging without a ground water discharge permit. The public hearing will begin immediately following the Commission's regular business meeting, which starts at 9:00 AM. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Water Quality Act, NMSA 1978 74-6-10, the Water Quality Control Commission Adjudicatory Procedures found in 20.1.3 NMAC, and all other applicable law. The ACO and Petitioner's filed appeal may be obtained electronically or reviewed in person by contacting: Pam Castaeda, Administrator 1190 S. St. Francis Drive PO Box 5469 Santa Fe, NM 87502 Tel (505) 827-2425, Fax (505) 827-1628, E-mail pam.castaneda@state.nm.us Participation by the General Public: Any member of the general public may present non-technical testimony at the hearing. No prior notification is required. A member of the general public may submit a written non-technical statement to the WQCC Administrator at any time prior to the close of the hearing. Those wishing to submit evidence pursuant to 20.1.3.19.E NMAC shall submit a list of witnesses, a description of the general subject matter of the testimony of each witness, and a list of exhibits to the WQCC Administrator no later than fifteen (15) days prior to the hearing. Assistance: If any person requires assistance, an interpreter or auxiliary aid to participate in this process, please contact Pam Castaeda, WQCC Administrator by December 1, 2017, at PO Box 5469, 1190 St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87502, telephone (505) 827-2425 or email pam.castaneda@state.nm.us. (TDD or TTY users please access the number via the New Mexico Relay Network, 1-800-659-1779 (voice); TTY users: 1-800-659-8331). Notice of Non-Discrimination NMED does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, disability, age or sex in the administration of its programs or activities, as required by applicable laws and regulations. NMED is responsible for coordination of compliance efforts and receipt of inquiries concerning non-discrimination requirements implemented by 40 C.F.R. Part 7, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, and Section 13 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972. If you have any questions about this notice or any of NMED's non-discrimination programs, policies or procedures, you may contact:

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