

Closure Plan Guidance

Section 3. Application; Supporting Information. The following items shall be submitted as a part of a construction permit application for a wastewater facility; (not quoted)

401 KAR 5:005, Section 3, Part (5) (a). If a facility or part of a facility will be taken out of service, the applicant shall submit a closure plan discussing the following items:

How the facility will be constructed and the sewage will be diverted to the new construction without a bypass to a stream. If a bypass is unavoidable during construction, the applicant shall submit:

- a. An explanation of why construction cannot occur without the bypass;
 - b. An estimate of the shortest duration for the construction to be completed;
 - c. A description of all equipment, material, labor, and any other item necessary to complete the construction; and
 - d. An estimate of when the necessary items for the construction will be on-site;
2. How the contents of the facility will be removed and properly disposed;
 3. How the abandoned facility will be removed or filled and covered; and
 4. How the abandoned sewers will be plugged and manholes filled and covered.
- (b) If an existing WWTP discharge is eliminated, the owner of the WWTP shall submit a completed No Discharge Certification * , incorporated by reference in Section 29 of this administrative regulation, within thirty (30) days after the elimination of the discharge.

* A No Discharge Certification form can be forwarded by e-mail. Please call 502-564-3410 and ask.

The facility shall to be eliminated within 12 months of the completion of the replacement facility.

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