



Santa Fe Springs Department of Fire-Rescue  
 Environmental Protection Division  
 11300 Greenstone Avenue, Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670  
 (562) 944-9713 fax (562) 941-1817

### Industrial Waste Closure Permit Application

**Facility/Site Information & Address**

<b>Facility/Site Name</b>			
Facility/Site Contact	Position	Phone number: (     )	
Site address	City	State	Zip
Mailing address	City	State	Zip

**Contractor Information & Address**

Contractor Name	Contractor License	Exp. Date	
Company Name	Phone Number (     )		
Mailing Address	City	State	Zip

**Property Owner Information & Address**

Name	Phone Number (     )
Mailing Address	
City	City
State	Zip

**Closure Requested**-All closures under this application must meet the requirements and conditions listed on reverse.

- Treatment unit removal (see conditions A, B, C, E, and F on reverse)
- Treatment unit abandonment in place (see conditions A, B, C, D, and F on reverse)

**Description of Waste Generating Operations Being Closed**

Type of business	<b>IW Permit Number</b>
Source of wastewater	
Type of treatment unit	
Has an unauthorized release ever occurred at this site?	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b>
Have structural repairs ever been made to the treatment unit?	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b>
Will new treatment unit(s) be installed after closure?	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b>
Will industrial waste generating operations remain after closure?	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b>
If the answer is YES to any of the above questions, attach an explanation.	

The applicant's signature certifies under penalty of perjury that all statements and disclosures above are true and correct and that they have read agree to abide by this closure authorization and all conditions and limitations on the reverse side of this form and any additional conditions that may be attached. Applicant also agrees to secure all required plumbing permits prior to starting work.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE	DATE
APPLICANT'S NAME (PRINT)	PHONE (     )
AS: <input type="checkbox"/> OWNER <input type="checkbox"/> OPERATOR <input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACTOR	

*IMPORTANT*

*PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 97 OF THE CITY CODE, PERMISSION IS HEREBY GRANTED TO PROCEED WITH THE CLOSURE DESCRIBED ABOVE SUBJECT TO THE ATTACHED CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS. THIS AUTHORIZATION EXPIRES 180 DAYS FROM THE DATE BELOW. YOU MUST CONTACT THIS OFFICE NO LATER THAN 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE START OF ANY TREATMENT UNIT REMOVAL AND/OR SAMPLING ACTIVITIES.*

**To be completed by the Environmental Protection Division**

<b>SOIL SAMPLING REQUIRED:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES (SEE ATTACHED)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b>			
Inspector	Date Approved		
Fee \$	Date Paid	Received By	

## **Authorization for Closure Conditions and Limitations**

### **A GENERAL**

1. This closure authorization is limited to closure of industrial wastewater treatment units NOT permitted as hazardous waste treatment units pursuant to Chapter 6.5 of the California Health and Safety Code, or underground storage tanks pursuant to Title 23 of the California Code of Regulations and Chapter 6.7 of the California Health and Safety Code.
2. All work shall be carried out in full compliance with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations.
3. The City of Santa Fe Springs Fire Department shall be notified in writing 30 days in advance of any facility closure unless this requirement is specifically waived by the City of Santa Fe Springs Director of Public Works or duly authorized representatives.
4. The applicant shall demonstrate that no pollution or nuisance will be created by the proposed closure.
5. All fees due to the Environmental Protection Division (EPD) through the date of closure, for the operation and/or maintenance of the Treatment Unit subject to closure, shall be paid in full.
6. A fee pursuant to Chapter 97, § 97.500 of the City Code shall accompany this application.

### **B PRIOR TO STARTING WORK**

1. All required plumbing and/or sewer abandonment permits shall be obtained from the Building Department prior to tapping any drains, sewers or private sewer system.
2. All wastewater-generating operations tributary to the treatment units to be closed shall be terminated or directed to alternative approved facilities.

3. All accumulated industrial and/or hazardous waste shall be removed from the industrial waste treatment unit.

### **C APPLICABLE TO ALL CLOSURES**

1. Sewer laterals serving the wastewater treatment unit to be closed and any open sewer connections shall be removed or severed and capped immediately downstream from such unit and shall include the removal of sample box, cleanout, trap and vent associated with the unit.
2. The severed outlet line shall be capped off with fast-setting cement or other approved equivalent material.
3. All inlets, floor sinks, drains, trenches or other fixtures tributary to the treatment unit shall be removed or permanently sealed with a fast setting cement or other approved material.
4. If at any time evidence of an unauthorized discharge from the unit or tributary facilities is discovered, the applicant shall notify the EPD within 24 working hours and shall take all necessary steps to secure any contaminated soils or residues.
5. No work shall be covered until all required inspections have been completed.

### **D PERMANENT CLOSURES IN PLACE**

1. Prior to backfill, any samples required by this approval shall be taken.
2. Upon completion of all work required above, the treatment unit shall be backfilled with sand, pea gravel, or approved material and compacted to within a maximum of 4 inches below grade.
3. The remaining 4 inches (minimum) shall be filled with concrete or equivalent approved material.
4. All backfill operations shall be carried out in compliance in

accordance with applicable Building Code requirements.

### **E PERMANENT CLOSURE BY REMOVAL**

1. Upon completion of all work required by Conditions A through C above, the treatment unit shall be excavated and transported to a legal point of disposal.
2. Prior to backfill, any sample required by this approval shall be taken.
3. All excavation and backfill operations shall be carried out in compliance with Applicable Building Code requirements.

### **F REQUIRED REPORTS**

1. Within 30 days of the date of closure, the applicant shall furnish the EPD a closure report describing all work done, results of any required sampling, disposition of any contaminated soils or materials found and evidence of compliance with Conditions B1, B2, B3, C4, D2, E1 and E2.
2. The closure report shall include any additional requirements made as part of this approval.
3. The closure report shall be submitted to:

**Santa Fe Springs  
Department of Fire-Rescue  
11300 Greenstone Ave.  
Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670-4619**