# STATUS REPORT NPDES PERMIT No. NM0030759

### SITE DISCHARGE POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN VOLUME 1

### LOS ALAMOS/PUEBLO WATERSHED AGGREGATE



**Reporting Period: July 1, 2011 – July 31, 2011** 

LA-UR-11-11621

### I. OVERVIEW

The Status Report for the Individual Permit (STRIP) summarizes conducted at Sites permitted and reported in the Site Discharge Pollution Prevention Plan, Volume 1 (V1 SDPPP), Los Alamos/Pueblo Watershed Aggregate area and is prepared in partial fulfillment of requirements set forth in NPDES Permit No. NM0030759 (IP or Permit). The V1 STRIP is one of five documents summarizing ongoing activities that will be reflected in the annual update to the V1 SDPPP. Within the V1 SDPPP, there are 101 Sites monitored in 64 Permitted Features.

### II. CONTROL ACTIVITIES

### PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE INSPECTIONS

Following the completion of control installations and the certification of this work. preventative maintenance inspections (PMIs) were conducted in preparation for the 2011 season. These inspections were voluntary inspections conducted prior the significant to precipitation typically experienced in the latter months of the field season. associated PMIs for the LAP STRIP were completed by the end of the reporting period.

Preventative maintenance inspections conducted, associated reference numbers, and related maintenance actions, as applicable, are summarized in sections below.

### PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE INSPECTIONS CONDUCTED

In the V1 STRIP, 19 PMI inspections have been conducted for the reporting period, thus completing the PMI effort. Appendix A provides the summary details of these inspections, inspection findings, and the corresponding reference numbers for the individual inspection reports.

### PREVENTATIVE REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT

Of the 19 PMIs conducted in July, one inspection noted repair or replacement needed. One maintenance action was conducted on arrival or at the time of inspection.

#### ADDITIONAL CONTROL INSTALLATIONS

Based on the results of early informal field reviews, additional controls have been installed at one SMA within the V1 STRIP. Additional controls were installed at P-SMA-2.2, but were not previously reported.

Table II.A Additional Controls at Sites in V1 STRIP

| SMA       | Additional<br>Control(s) | Install<br>Date |  |  |
|-----------|--------------------------|-----------------|--|--|
|           | P008-06-01-0018          |                 |  |  |
|           | Rock Check Dam           |                 |  |  |
|           | P008-06-01-0019          |                 |  |  |
|           | Rock Check Dam           |                 |  |  |
| P-SMA-2.2 | P008-06-01-0020          | 4/20/2011       |  |  |
|           | Rock Check Dam           |                 |  |  |
|           | P008-06-01-0021          |                 |  |  |
|           | Rock Check Dam           |                 |  |  |
|           | P008-06-01-0022          |                 |  |  |
|           | Rock Check Dam           |                 |  |  |

#### **CORRECTIVE ACTION PLANNING**

Planning for corrective action responses have begun at all high priority Sites within the V1 STRIP.

#### **ADVERSE WEATHER**

An adverse weather event occurred beginning Sunday, June 26, 2011. All work associated with the IP project was interrupted from June 27 through July 7, 2011 due to the Las Conchas fire. This

event mandated the evacuation of Los Alamos and prompted the subsequent closure of the Laboratory. Work resumed at the Laboratory on July 7 although many areas were still inaccessible due to the proximity of the fire.

### III. CONFIRMATION ACTIVITIES

#### **PRECIPITATION**

During the field season (April 1 – November 30), the IP project monitors precipitation through a network of 17 rain gages mapped to specific areas across the Complex. Within the V1 STRIP, 5 precipitation gages monitor and report precipitation activity. These gages and the activity for the reporting period are shown in the table below. For the reporting period, there were two (2) qualifying storm events or events with precipitation intensity of 0.25" in thirty minutes.

**Table III.A Precipitation Activity for Reporting Period** 

| Rain<br>Gage | Related<br>SMAs | Qualifying<br>Storm<br>Events | Storm<br>Event<br>Inspections<br>Conducted |  |
|--------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| RG-<br>NCOM  | 3               | 0                             | 0  |  |
| RG-TA-<br>53 | 6               | 7/28/2011<br>7/30/2011        | 6  |  |
| RG038        | 34              | 0                             | 0  |  |
| RG055.5      | 16              | 0                             | 0  |  |
| RG121.9      | 5               | 0                             | 0  |  |

#### STORM EVENT INSPECTIONS

No storm-event inspections were conducted in the V1 STRIP aggregate area through the period ending July 31, 2011; however, the storm-event inspections for recorded storm events were conducted in early August, 2011.

There were no deficiencies noted in these inspections. Details of these inspections are provided in Appendix B.

#### **SAMPLES COLLECTED**

Five confirmation samples have been collected at Sites/SMAs within the V1 STRIP for the reporting period. The SMAs, the date samples were collected, and analysis requested for these samples is presented in Appendix C.

### RESULTS OF STORM WATER MONITORING

There were no validated analytical results of storm water monitoring samples received during the reporting period.

#### **VISUAL INSPECTIONS**

No Visual Inspections have been required or conducted at Sites/SMAs within the V1 STRIP for the reporting period.

#### IV. CERTIFICATION ACTIVITIES

### CERTIFICATES OF COMPLETION UNDER NMED CONSENT ORDER

Sites monitored under the IP are in some stage of investigation under the Consent Order issued by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED). At the conclusion of extensive investigation, and/or remediation, and reporting, the NMED issues a Certificate of Completion of Corrective Action under the Consent Order. Sites that have received such certifications from NMED have been thoroughly investigated and have met the standards set by the collective parties under this agreement.

No additional Certificates of Completion under the Consent Order have been issued by the New Mexico Environment Department for Sites within the V1 STRIP during this reporting period.

#### **COMPLETION OF CORRECTIVE ACTION**

Completions of corrective action under NMED's Consent Order were certified pursuant to Part 1.E.2 (d) for 10 Sites within the V1 STRIP as provided in the Individual Permit Annual Report.

These Sites will continue to be monitored according to the requirements specified in the Permit until the Sites can be formally petitioned for removal from the IP.

### **DELETION FROM PERMIT**

Currently there are no Sites/SMAs meeting the criteria for deletion from the Permit.

### **APPENDIX A**

PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE INSPECTION DETAILS

| SMA                     | DATE<br>INSPECTED | FINDINGS                              | INSPECTION<br>REFERENCE | MAINTENANCE CONDUCTED   | DATE<br>MAINTENANCE<br>CONDUCTED | MAINTENANCE<br>REFERENCE |
|-------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| B-SMA-0.5               | 7/12/11           | All Controls Operating Effectively    | BMP-13831               | BMP-13831 None  |                                  | None                     |
| P-SMA-0.3               | 7/11/11           | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively | BMP-13938               | None  | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| P-SMA-1                 | 7/8/11            | All Controls Operating Effectively    | . 9 I BIVIP-13939 I     |   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| P-SMA-2                 | 7/11/11           | All Controls Operating Effectively    | BMP-13940               | None  | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| P-SMA-2.15              | 7/12/11           | All Controls Operating Effectively    | BMP-13943               | None  | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| P-SMA-2.2               | 7/11/11           | All Controls Operating Effectively    | . •   DIVII 10011       |   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| P-SMA-3.05 <sup>1</sup> | 6/23/11           | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively | BMP-13793               | None  | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-5.35             | 7/12/11           | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively | BMP-13795               | Small amount of native rock added to rip rap, L01404060007 at time of inspection. | 7/12/11                          | BMP-13795                |
| LA-SMA-5.51             | 7/12/11           | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively | BMP-13788               | None  | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-5.52             | 7/12/11           | All Controls Operating Effectively    | BMP-13789               | None  | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-5.53             | 7/12/11           | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively | BMP-13790               | None  | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-5.54             | 7/8/11            | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively | BMP-13791               | None  | Not Applicable                   | None                     |

 $^{1}$  Although conducted, this inspection was not previously reported in the April-June 2011 Volume 1, SRIP 1.

| SMA              | DATE<br>INSPECTED | FINDINGS  | FINDINGS INSPECTION MAINTENANCE CONDUCTED |  | DATE<br>MAINTENANCE<br>CONDUCTED | MAINTENANCE<br>REFERENCE |
|------------------|-------------------|---|---|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| LA-SMA-5.91      | 7/7/11            | All Controls Operating Effectively  BMP-13907                       |   | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-5.92      | 7/7/11            | All Controls Operating BMP-13908 None                               |   | Not Applicable   | None                             |                          |
| LA-SMA-6.31      | 7/12/11           | Replacement requested for wattle L02203060004                       | BMP-13906                                 | Replaced wattle L02203060004 with wattle L022A03060006 at same location. | 7/18/11                          | BMP-14697                |
| LA-SMA-6.34      | 7/12/11           | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively                               | BMP-13904                                 | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-<br>10.11 | 7/7/11            | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively                               | BMP-13796                                 | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-<br>10.12 | 7/7/11            | Map modification<br>requested for rock<br>check dam<br>LA306010011. | BMP-13797                                 | Retired rock check dam LA306010010. Relocate rock check dam LA306010011. | 8/8/11                           | CCN-14398                |
| LA-SMA-<br>10.12 | 7/22/11           | All Controls Operating<br>Effectively                               | BMP-14402                                 | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |

### **APPENDIX B**

### **STORM EVENT INSPECTIONS AND DETAILS**

**JULY 1 – JULY 31, 2011** 

## Storm Event Inspections And Details Volume 1, STRIP 2 07-01-2011 - 07-31-2011

| SMA          | Precipitation<br>Gage | QUALIFYING<br>STORM EVENT | DATE<br>INSPECTED | FINDINGS  | INSPECTION<br>REFERENCE | MAINTENANCE<br>CONDUCTED   | DATE<br>MAINTENANCE<br>CONDUCTED | MAINTENANCE<br>REFERENCE |
|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| B-SMA-0.5    | RG-TA-53              | 7/28/2011<br>7/30/2011    | 8/2/11            | All Controls Operating Effectively  | BMP-15386               | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| P-SMA-0.3    | RG-TA-53              | 7/28/2011<br>7/30/2011    | 8/2/11            | Modification/repair/replacement requested for LA County temporary controls. Modify and extending berm P00403010006. | BMP-15389               | Extended existing<br>berm P00403010006<br>approximately 60 ft<br>to the west to<br>prevent potential<br>sedimentation. | 8/17/11                          | BMP-16401                |
| LA-SMA-9     | RG-TA-53              | 7/28/2011<br>7/30/2011    | 8/1/11            | All Controls Operating Effectively  | BMP-15388               | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-10.11 | RG-TA-53              | 7/28/2011<br>7/30/2011    | 8/1/11            | All Controls Operating Effectively  | BMP-15384               | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| LA-SMA-10.12 | RG-TA-53              | 7/28/2011<br>7/30/2011    | 8/1/11            | All Controls Operating Effectively  | BMP-15385               | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |
| DP-SMA-4     | RG-TA-53              | 7/28/2011<br>7/30/2011    | 8/1/11            | All Controls Operating Effectively  | BMP-15387               | None   | Not Applicable                   | None                     |

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### **APPENDIX C**

### SAMPLES COLLECTED AT SITES IN VOLUME 1 STRIP FOR REPORTING PERIOD

#### Samples Collected Volume 1, STRIP 2 07-01-2011 - 07-31-2011 Analysis SMA **Date Collected** Metals Cyanide Radioactivity Other DP-SMA-3 7/29/11 Χ LA-SMA-0.85 7/30/11 Χ Х Χ LA-SMA-1.1 7/28/11 Χ Χ Χ LA-SMA-1.25 7/30/11 Х Х Х R-SMA-1 7/2/11 Х Χ Χ