

Lake County Public Works enhanced Biological Nutrient Removal Improvements

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eBNR Program & Current NPDES Permit

Mill Creek WRF

- Total Phosphorus reporting with 1.0 mg/L limit (2012)
- Total Nitrogen Monitoring
- Nutrient Implementation Plan by 2019 (NARP)

New Century Town WRF

- > 3-yrs Compliance Schedule for eBNR development
- Total Phosphorus Monitoring (pending 1.0 mg/L limit)
- Total Nitrogen Monitoring
- Nutrient Implementation Plan by 2019 (NARP)

Des Plaines River WRF

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Methods used to Remove Nutrient in Wastewater

Chemical

- ✤ Aluminum Sulfate
- ✤ Ferric Chloride

Biological

- A/O = Anerobic and Aerobic
- ✤ A2O = Anoxic, Anaerobic, and Aerobic
- ✤ Johannesburg
- ✤ Bardenpho
- MLE = Modified Ludzack Ettinger
- S2eBPR (side stream enhanced Biological Phosphorus Removal)

LCPW Biological Approach to Nutrient Removal

Mill Creek WRF



DAF = 2.1 MGD DMF = 7.8 MGD Construction Cost = \$1,850,000 LCPW Biological Approach to Nutrient Removal

New Century Town WRF

New Century Town WRF eBNR - Modified Johannesburg



DAF = 6.0 MGD DMF = 18.0 MGD Construction Cost = \$1,400,000 LCPW Biological Approach to Nutrient Removal

Des Plaines River WRF

Des Plaines River WRF eBNR - Modified Johannesburg



DAF = 16.0 MGD DMF = 51.8 MGD Construction cost = \$3,700,000

Plant Performance

New Century Town WRF

Before eBNR

TN discharge/month = 520 lb
 TP discharge/month = 60 lb

After eBNR

➤ TN discharge/month = 200 lb

 \succ TP discharge/month = 5.2 lb

December's TP Avg = 0.22 mg/L

Mill Creek WRF

Before eBNR

TN discharge/month = 129 lb
TP discharge/month = 18 lb

After eBNR

TN discharge/month = 67 lb
TP discharge/month = 0.6 lb
December's TP Avg. = 0.07 mg/L

<u>Plant Performance (cont.)</u>

Des Plaines River WRF

Before eBNR → TN discharge/month = 1160 lb → TP discharge/month = 190 lb

After eBNR

TN discharge/month = 638 lb
TP discharge/month = 17 lb
December's TP Avg. = 0.22 mg/L

Nutrient Discharge - Des Plaines River WRF - Before and After eBNR Implementation

QUESTIONS??