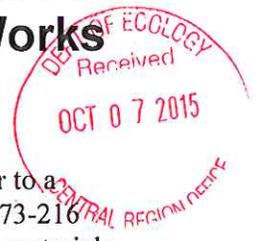




Application for a State Waste Discharge Permit to Discharge Industrial Wastewater to a Publicly-Owned Treatment Works (POTW)

email rec'd 9/28/15 ch



This application is for a state waste discharge permit for a discharge of industrial wastewater to a publicly-owned treatment works (POTW) as required by Chapter 90.48 RCW and Chapter 173-216 WAC. It is designed to provide Ecology with information on pollutants in the waste stream, materials that may enter the waste stream, and the flow characteristics of the discharge.

Ecology may request additional information to clarify the conditions of this discharge. The applicant should reference information previously submitted to Ecology that applies to this application in the appropriate section.

SECTION A. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Applicant Name: Mercer Wine Estates

2. Facility Name: _____
(if different from Applicant)

3. Applicant Mail Address: 3100 Lee Road
Street

Prosser, WA City/State 99350 Zip

4. Facility Location Address: _____
(if different from 3 above) Street

_____ City/State _____ Zip

5. UBI No. 602-619275
Sometimes called a registration, tax, "C," or resale number, the Unified Business Identifier (UBI) number is a nine-digit number used to identify persons engaging in business activities. The number is assigned when a person completes a Master Business Application to register with or obtain a license from state agencies. The Departments of Revenue, Licensing, Employment Security, Labor and Industries, and the Corporations Division of the Secretary of State are among the state agencies participating in the UBI program.

6. Latitude/longitude of the facility as decimal degrees (NAD83/WGS84):
46° 13' 10.97" N / 119° 43' 606" W

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY		Check One: New/Renewal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Modification <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date Application Received <u>9/28/15</u>	Date Fee Paid _____	Application/Permit No. <u>ST 000 9263</u>	Date Application Accepted <u>11/2/15</u>

7. Person to contact who is familiar with the information contained in this application:

Suzie Forsyth 509-786-2097 x 100 Production
Coordinator/Compliance Manager suzief@mercerstates.com

Marc Mortimer 509-834-5326
Project Manager, Mercer Canyons Inc
marc.mortimer@mercercanyons.com

Name

Title

Telephone number

509-786-2704
Fax number

8. Check One:

Permit Renewal (including renewal of temporary permits)

Does this application request a greater amount of wastewater discharge, a greater amount of pollutant discharge, or a discharge of different pollutants than specified in the last permit application for this facility? YES NO

For permit renewals, the current permit is an attachment, by reference, to this application.

Permit Modification

Existing Unpermitted Discharge

Proposed Discharge

Anticipated date of discharge: _____

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of a fine and/or imprisonment for knowing violations.


Signature*

10-5-15
Date

General Manager
Title

Wilius Mercur
Printed Name

*Applications must be signed as follows: corporations, by a principal executive officer of at least the level of vice-president; partnership, by a general partner; sole proprietorship, by the proprietor. If these titles do not apply to your organization, the person who makes budget decisions for this facility must sign the application.

The application signatory may delegate signature authority for submittals required by the permit, such as monthly reports, to a suitable employee. You can delegate this authority to a qualified individual or to a position, which you expect to fill with a qualified individual. If you wish to delegate signature authority, please complete the following:

Signature of delegated employee

Date

Title or function at the facility

SECTION B. PRODUCT INFORMATION

1. Briefly describe all manufacturing processes and products, and/or commercial activities, at this facility. Provide the applicable Standard Industrial Category (SIC) and the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code(s) for each activity (see *North American Industrial Classification System*, 2007 ed.). You can find the 1997 NAICS codes and the corresponding 1987 Standard Industry Category (SIC) codes at (<http://www.census.gov/epcd/naics/frames3.htm>).

Description: Production of finished wine. The process includes growing grapes or working with contracted growers to grow grapes, harvesting grapes, processing the fruit (crush and press), storage and fermentation of the juice, aging of the finished wine in tanks and barrels, bottling the finished product, warehousing, distribution and sales.

2. List raw materials and products used at his facility:

Type	RAW MATERIALS	Quantity
<i>Grapes (Example)</i>		<i>1,000 tons per year</i>
Grapes		up to 1700 tons annually (~ 115, 000 cases)
Potassium Metabisulfite		1.17 lbs/per day
Sodium Hydroxide		1.04 lbs/per day
Tartaric Acid		2.34 lbs/per day
Malic Acid		0.84 lbs/per day
Type	PRODUCTS	Quantity
<i>Grape Juice(Example)</i>		<i>300,000 gallons per year</i>
PRODUCT - grape juice processed above into wine		192,500 gallons per year
RAW MATERIALS CONTINUED		
Bentonite		1.15 lbs/per day
Wine Yeast		1.37 lbs/per day
Diatomaceous Earth		19.69 lbs/per day

SECTION C. PLANT OPERATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

1. For each process listed in B.1. that generates wastewater, list the process, assign the waste stream a name and an ID # and describe whether it is a batch or continuous flow.

Process	Waste Stream Name	Waste Stream ID#	Batch (B) or Continuous (C) Process
Grape Receiving	Crush/Press Equipment Wash Water	1	B
Tank Storage/Fermentation	Tank and Equip. Wash Water	2	B
Barrel Aging	Barrel and Equip. Wash Water	3	B
Bottling	Equip. Sanitation and Wash Water	4	B

2. On a separate sheet, produce a schematic drawing showing production process through the facility, wastewater treatment devices and waste streams as noted. The drawing should indicate the source of intake water and show the operation of wastewater to the effluent. The treatment units should be labeled. Construct a flow diagram showing average flows between intakes, operations, treatment units, and points of POTW. (See the example on page 16 of this application form.)

11,000 gallons/D
09.11.2014

3. What is the maximum daily wastewater discharge flow? 10000 gallons/day

What is the maximum average monthly wastewater discharge flow (daily flows averaged over a month)? 4200 gallons/day

4. Describe any planned wastewater treatment improvements or changes in methods, and the schedule for these improvements. (Use additional label as attachment C4.)

5,581 g.p.d.
Oct. 2014

Mercer Estates crew continue to limit the amount of solid waste by generated in the winemaking process and transferring them to a facility for composting

October 2014
173,000 gallons
5,581 gallon/DAY
Avg

5. If production processes are subject to seasonal variations, provide the following information. The combined value for each month should equal the estimated total monthly flow. Please indicate the proper flow unit by checking one of the following boxes:

gallons per day

gallons per month

million gallons per month

Waste Stream ID#	MONTHS											
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
1. Grape Receiving	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46000	72000	84000	9900	0
2. Tank & Equipment	53040	24500	51600	48000	69000	69300	80300	37950	32400	42000	66000	54000
3. Barrel & Equipment	23400	22500	29240	27200	39100	33000	22000	24150	12000	14000	33000	36000
4. Bottling	1560	3000	5160	4800	6900	7700	7700	6900	3600	0	1100	0
Estimated Total Monthly Flow (GPD)	78000	50000	86000	80000	115000	110000	110000	115000	120000	140000	110000	90000

6. How many hours a day does this facility typically operate? 9
 How many days a week does this facility typically operate? 5
 How many weeks per year does this facility typically operate? 52

7. List all incidental materials, such as oil, paint, grease, solvents, and cleaners, that are used or stored on site (*list only those with quantities greater than 10 gallons for liquids and 50 pounds for solids*). For solvents and solvent-based cleaners, include a copy of the material safety data sheet and estimate the quantity used. (*Use additional sheets, if necessary, and label as attachment C.7.*)

Materials/Quantity Stored: none

"ACTUAL PARIS DATA" Jim Leber

MONTH	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
2011-2015 AVG FLOW	35,767	27,727	53,699	58,250	54,025	67,321	80,366	88,376	117,225	116,918	69,308	47,401

2011-2015

- | 8. | Some types of facilities are required to have spill or waste control plans. Does this facility have: | Yes | No |
|----|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| a. | A spill prevention, control, and countermeasure plan (40 CFR 112)? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| b. | An Oil Spill Contingency Plan (chapter 173-182 WAC)? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| c. | An emergency response plan (per WAC 173-303-350)? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| d. | A runoff, spillage, or leak control plan (per WAC 173-216-110(f))? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| e. | Any spill or pollution prevention plan required by local, state or federal authorities? If yes specify: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| f. | A solid waste control plan? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| g. | A Slug Discharge Control Plan (40 CFR 403.8(f)(2)(v))? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

SECTION E. WASTEWATER INFORMATION

How are the water intake and effluent flows measured?

Intake: City of Prosser Water Meter

Effluent Magnetic Flow Meter

Describe the collection method for the samples analyzed below. (*i.e.*, grab, 24-hour composite). Applicants must collect grab samples (not composites) for analysis of pH, temperature, cyanide, total phenols, residual chlorine, oil and grease, fecal coliform (including *E. coli*), and Enterococci (previously known as fecal streptococcus at § 122.26 (d)(2)(iii)(A)(3)), or volatile organic

24-hour composite sample collected at least twice a week by Prosser City Water department for analysis.

Has the effluent been analyzed for any other parameters than those identified in question E.4.? YES NO
If yes, attach results and label as attachment E.4. This data must clearly show the date, method and location of sampling. (*Not Ecology may require additional testing.*)

Provide measurements or range of measurements for treated wastewater prior to discharge to the POTW for the parameters with an "X" in the left column. If you obtain the application from the internet, contact Ecology's regional office to see if testing for subset of these parameters is permissible. All analyses (except pH) must be conducted by a laboratory registered or accredited Ecology (WAC 173-216-125). If this is an application for permit renewal, provide data for the last year for those parameters that are routinely measured. For parameters measured only for this application, place the values under "Maximum." Report the values with units as specified in the parameter name or in the detection level.

The Permittee must use the specified analytical methods, detection limits (DLs) and quantitation levels (QLs) in the following table unless Ecology approves an alternate method or the method used produces measurable results in the sample and EPA has listed it as an EPA approved method in 40 CFR Part 136. If the Permittee uses an alternative method as allowed above, it must report the test method, DL, and QL on the discharge monitoring report or in the required report.

Parameter	Measurement Values			Number of Analyses	Analytical Method Std. Methods 19 th , 20 th edition or EPA	Detect Limit/Quar Level
	Minimum	Maximum	Average			
D (5 day)	150	15600	3288.11	2	SM 5210 B	/2 mg
D					SM 5220 D	/10 m
al suspended solids	0.4	1320	265.3361	2	SM 2540 D	/5 mg
ed Dissolved Solids					SM 2540 E	
al dissolved solids					SM 2540 C	
nductivity (mhos/cm)					SM 2510 B	
monia-N as N					SM 4500-NH ₃ C	/0.3 m
	4.5	8.6		2	SM 4500-H	0.1 standa
cal coliform organisms/100 mL)					SM 9221 E or 9222 D	
al coliform organisms/100 mL)					SM 9221 B or 9222 B	
olved oxygen					SM 4500-O C/G	
rate + nitrite-N as N					SM 4500-NO ₃ E	100 µ
al kjeldahl N as N					SM 4500-N _{org} C/E/FG	300 µ
ho-phosphate-P as P					SM 4500-P E/F	10 µg
al-phosphorous-P as P					SM 4500-P E/P/F	10 µg
al Oil & grease					EPA 1664A	1.4/5 r
VTPH - Dx					Ecology NWTPH Dx	250/250
VTPH - Gx					Ecology NWTPH Gx	250/250
lcium					EPA 200.7	10 µg
loride					SM 4500-Cl C	0.15 µ
oride					SM 4500-F E	.025/0.1
gnesium					EPA 200.7	10/50 µ
assium					EPA 200.7	700/ µ
dium					EPA 200.7	29/ µ
lfate					SM 4500-SO ₄ C/D	/200 µ
enic(total)					EPA 200.8	0.1/0.5

See PARIS (A) FOR FULL SET DISCHARGE DATA

Parameter	Measurement Values			Number of Analyses	Analytical Method Std. Methods 19 th , 20 th edition or EPA	Detect Limit/Quar Level
	Minimum	Maximum	Average			
Mercury (total)					EPA 200.8	0.5/2.5
Lead (total)					EPA 200.8	0.05/2.5
Cadmium (total)					EPA 200.8	0.2/1.5
Copper (total)					EPA 200.8	0.4/2.5
Chromium (total)					EPA 200.8	0.1/1.5
Mercury (total) pg/L					EPA 1631E	0.2/0.5
Nickel (total)					EPA 200.8	0.1/0.5
Vanadium (total)					EPA 200.8	0.1/0.5
Chromium (total)					EPA 200.8	1/1.5
Mercury (total)					EPA 200.8	0.04/2.5
Cadmium (total)					EPA 200.8	0.5/2.5

Does this facility use any of the following chemicals as raw materials or produce them as part of the manufacturing process, or are they present in the wastewater? YES NO

(The number in the column next to the chemical name is the Chemical Abstract Service (CAS) reference number to use in identifying the compound.)

If yes, specify how the chemical is used and the quantity used or produced:

METALS, CYANIDE & TOTAL PHENOLS			
Antimony, Total	7440-36-0	Nickel, Total	7440-02-0
Arsenic, Total	7440-38-2	Selenium, Total	7782-49-2
Beryllium, Total	7440-41-7	Silver, Total	7440-22-4
Cadmium, Total	7440-43-9	Thallium, Total	7440-28-0
Chromium (hex) dissolved	18540-29-9	Zinc, Total	7440-66-6
Chromium, Total	7440-47-3		
Copper, Total	7440-50-8	Cyanide, Total	57-12-5
Lead, Total	7439-92-1	Cyanide, Weak Acid Dissociable	
Mercury, Total	7439-97-6)	Phenols, Total	

PESTICIDES			
Aldrin	309-00-2	Endrin	72-20-8
alpha-BHC	319-84-6	Endrin Aldehyde	7421-93-4
beta-BHC	319-85-7	Heptachlor	76-44-8
gamma-BHC	58-89-9	Heptachlor Epoxide	1024-57-3
delta-BHC	319-86-8	PCB-1242	53469-21-9
Chlordane	57-74-9	PCB-1254	11097-69-1
4,4'-DDT	50-29-3	PCB-1221	11104-28-2
4,4'-DDE	72-55-9	PCB-1232	11141-16-5
4,4' DDD	72-54-8	PCB-1248	12672-29-6
Dieldrin	60-57-1	PCB-1260	11096-82-5
alpha-Endosulfan	959-98-8	PCB-1016	12674-11-2
beta-Endosulfan	33213-65-9	Toxaphene	8001-35-2
Endosulfan Sulfate	1031-07-8		

VOLATILE COMPOUNDS			
Acrolein	107-02-8		
Acrylonitrile	107-13-1	1,1-Dichloroethylene	75-35-4
Benzene	71-43-2	1,2-Dichloropropane	78-87-5
Bromoform	75-25-2	1,3-dichloropropene (mixed isomers) (1,2-dichloropropylene)	542-75-6
Carbon tetrachloride	56-23-5	Ethylbenzene	100-41-4
Chlorobenzene	108-90-7	Methyl bromide (Bromomethane)	74-83-9
Chloroethane	75-00-3	Methyl chloride (Chloromethane)	74-87-3
2-Chloroethylvinyl Ether	110-75-8	Methylene chloride	75-09-2
Chloroform	67-66-3	1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	79-34-5
Dibromochloromethane	124-48-1	Tetrachloroethylene	127-18-4
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	95-50-1	Toluene (108-88-3)	
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	(541-73-1)	1,2-Trans-Dichloroethylene (Ethylene dichloride)	156-60-5
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	106-46-7	1,1,1-Trichloroethane	71-55-6
Dichlorobromomethane	75-27-4	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	79-00-5
1,1-Dichloroethane	75-34-3	Trichloroethylene	79-01-6
1,2-Dichloroethane	107-06-2	Vinyl chloride	75-01-4

ACID COMPOUNDS			
2-Chlorophenol	95-57-8	4-nitrophenol	100-02-7
2,4-Dichlorophenol	120-83-2	Parachlorometa cresol (4-chloro-3-methylphenol)	59-50-7
2,4-Dimethylphenol	105-67-9	Pentachlorophenol	87-86-5
4,6-dinitro-o-cresol (2-methyl-4,6,-dinitrophenol)	534-52-1	Phenol	108-95-2
2,4 dinitrophenol	51-28-5	2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	88-06-2
2-Nitrophenol	88-75-5		

BASE/NEUTRAL COMPOUNDS (compounds in bold are Ecology PBTs)			
Acenaphthene	83-32-9	3,3-Dichlorobenzidine	91-94-1
Acenaphthylene	208-96-8	Diethyl phthalate	84-66-2
Anthracene	120-12-7	Dimethyl phthalate	131-11-3
Benzidine	92-87-5	Di-n-butyl phthalate)	84-74-2
Benzyl butyl phthalate	85-68-7	2,4-dinitrotoluene	121-14-2
Benzo(a)anthracene	56-55-3	2,6-dinitrotoluene	606-20-2
Benzo(b)fluoranthene (3,4-benzofluoranthene)	205-99-2	Di-n-octyl phthalate	117-84-0
Benzo(j)fluoranthene	205-82-3	1,2-Diphenylhydrazine (as <i>Azobenzene</i>)	122-66-7
Benzo(k)fluoranthene (11,12-benzofluoranthene)	207-08-9	Fluoranthene	206-44-0
Benzo(r,s,t)pentaphene	189-55-9	Fluorene	86-73-7
Benzo(a)pyrene	50-32-8	Hexachlorobenzene	118-74-1
Benzo(ghi)Perylene	191-24-2	Hexachlorobutadiene	87-68-3
Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	111-91-1	Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	77-47-4
Bis(2-chloroethyl)ether	111-44-4	Hexachloroethane	67-72-1
Bis(2-chloroisopropyl)ether	39638-32-9	Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene	193-39-5
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	117-81-7	Isophorone	78-59-1
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	101-55-3	3-Methyl cholanthrene	56-49-5
2-Chloronaphthalene	91-58-7	Naphthalene	91-20-3
4-Chlorophenyl phenyl ether	7005-72-3	Nitrobenzene	98-95-3
Chrysene	218-01-9	N-Nitrosodimethylamine	62-75-9
Dibenzo (a,j)acridine	224-42-0	N-Nitrosodi-n-propylamine	621-64-7
Dibenzo (a,h)acridine	226-36-8	N-Nitrosodiphenylamine	86-30-6
Dibenzo(a-h)anthracene (1,2,5,6-dibenzanthracene)	53-70-3	Perylene	198-55-0
Dibenzo(a,e)pyrene	192-65-4	Phenanthrene	85-01-8
Dibenzo(a,h)pyrene	189-64-0	Pyrene	129-00-0
		1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	120-82-1

7. Are any other pesticides, herbicides or fungicides used at this facility? YES NO

If yes, specify the material and quantity used:

8. Are there other pollutants that you know of or believe to be present? YES NO

If yes, specify the pollutants and their concentration if known
(attach laboratory analyses if available as Attachment E8):

9. Is the wastewater being discharged, or proposed for discharge, to the POTW designated as a dangerous waste according to the procedures in Chapter 173-303 WAC?

YES NO DON'T KNOW

10. If the answer to question 9 above is yes, how did the waste designate as a dangerous waste (check appropriate box)?

For Listed and TCLP Characteristic Wastes only, also provide the Dangerous Waste Number(s).

Listed Waste Dangerous Waste Number(s) _____

Characteristic Wastes Dangerous Waste Number(s) _____

Ignitable

Reactive

Corrosive

TCLP

State Only Dangerous Wastes Dangerous Waste Number(s) _____

Toxicity

Persistent

For questions about waste designation under the *Dangerous Waste Regulations*, Chapter 173-303 WAC, contact Ecology's Hazardous Waste and Toxics Program at:

Northwest Regional Office - Bellevue	(425) 649-7000
Southwest Regional Office - Lacey	(360) 407-6300
Central Regional Office - Yakima	(509) 575-2490
Eastern Regional Office - Spokane	(509) 329-3400

SECTION F. SEWER INFORMATION

1. Is an inspection and sampling manhole or similar structure available on-site? YES NO
*If yes, attach a map or hand drawing of the facility that shows the location of these structures
(Label as attachment F1 or this may be combined with map in H8, if H8 is applicable to your
facility.)*



SECTION G. OTHER PERMITS

- 1. List all environmental control permits or approvals needed for this facility; for example, air emission permits.

Benton County Clean Air Authority, Registered Facility Only

SOLID WASTE PLAN? B.F.H.D.?

SECTION H. STORMWATER

1. Do you have coverage under the Washington State Industrial Stormwater NPDES General Permit? YES NO

If yes, please list the permit number here. _____

If no, have you applied for a Washington State Stormwater Industrial Stormwater General Permit? YES NO

If you answered no to both questions above, complete the following questions 2 through 5.

2. Does your facility discharge stormwater: *(Check all that apply)*

To storm sewer system *(provide name of storm sewer system operator: _____)*

Directly to any surface waters of Washington State *(e.g., river, lake, creek, estuary, ocean).*

Specify waterbody name(s) _____

Indirectly to surface waters of Washington State *(i.e., flows over adjacent properties first).*

To a Sanitary Sewer

Directly to ground waters of Washington State via:

Dry well

Drainfield

Other

3. Areas with industrial activities at facility: *(check all that apply)*

Manufacturing Building

Material Handling

Material Storage

Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage, or Disposal *(Refers to RCRA, Subtitle C Facilities Only)*

Waste Treatment, Storage, or Disposal

Application or Disposal of Wastewaters

Storage and Maintenance of Material Handling Equipment

Vehicle Maintenance

Areas Where Significant Materials Remain

Access Roads and Rail Lines for Shipping and Receiving

Other (please specify): _____

4. Material handling/management practices

a. Types of materials handled and/or stored outdoors: *(check all that apply)*

Solvents

Hazardous Wastes

Scrap Metal

Acids or Alkalies

Petroleum or Petrochemical Products

Paints/Coatings

Plating Products

Woodtreating Products

Pesticides

Other *(please list)*: _____b. Identify existing management practices employed to reduce pollutants in industrial stormwater discharges: *(check all that apply)*

Oil/Water Separator

Detention Facilities

Containment

Infiltration Basins

Spill Prevention

Operational BMPs

Surface Leachate Collection

Vegetation Management

Overhead Coverage

Other *(please list)*: _____

5. Attach a facility site map showing stormwater drainage/collection areas, disposal areas and discharge points. This may be a hand-drawn map if no other site map is available *(See example on page 16 of this application)*. Label this as attachment H.5.

SECTION I. OTHER INFORMATION

1. Describe liquid wastes or sludges being generated by your facility that are not disposed of in the waste stream(s) and how they are being disposed of. For each type of waste, provide type of waste and the name, address, and phone number of the hauler.

Grape skins, stems, seeds and screening generated as part of the grape receiving process are hauled to feed lot -Mid Vale Cattle Company {1691 Midvale Road, Sunnyside, WA 98944, (509) 837-3151} by R&R Hauling {255 North Grey Road, Grandview, WA 98930,(509) 882-2565 .
Diatomaceous Earth and lees are handled in the same manner.

2. Describe storage areas for raw materials, products, and wastes.

N/A

3. Have you designated the wastes described above according to the applicable YES NO procedures of Dangerous Waste Regulations, Chapter 173-303 WAC?

SECTION J. CERTIFICATIONS

1. Approval by Publicly-Owned Treatment Works [required by WAC 173-216-070(4)(b)]

I approve of the discharge as described in this application. The applicant is:

(Please check the appropriate box below.)

- A Significant Industrial User (see Definitions at the end of this Section)
- A Categorical Industrial User
- Neither of the above

Name and location of sewer system to which this project will be tributary:

Treatment Works Owner: City of Prosser
Street: 601 Seventh Street
City/State: Prosser, WA Zip: 99350
[Signature] 9/25/15 PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR
Signature of Treatment Works Authority Date Title
L. J. DA CORSI
Printed Name

2. Application review by Intermediate Sewer Owner at point of discharge (if applicable)

I hereby acknowledge that I have reviewed the application for discharge to this sewer system.

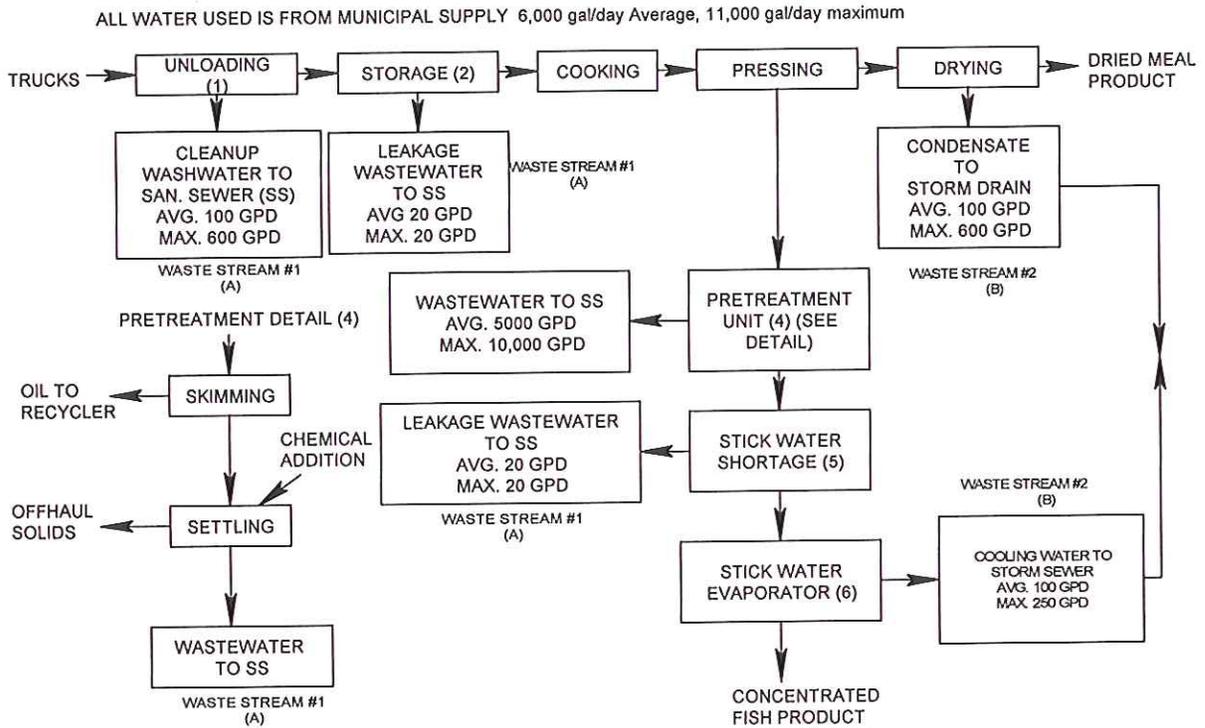
Name and location of sewer system to which this project will be tributary:

Sewer System Owner: _____
Street: _____
City/State: _____ Zip: _____

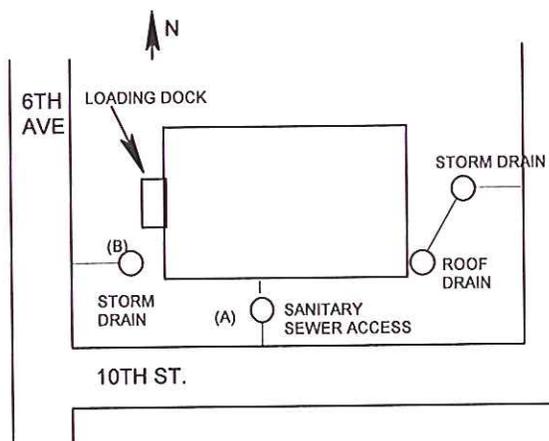
Signature of Sewer System Authority Date Title

Printed Name

Example 1 for application section C.2. (SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM)



Example 2 for application section F1 or H8 (FACILITY SITE MAP)



DEFINITIONS

Significant Industrial User (SIU)--

- 1) All industrial users subject to Categorical Pretreatment Standards under 40 CFR 403.6 and 40 CFR Chapter I, Subchapter N; and
- 2) Any other industrial user that: discharges an average of 25,000 gallons per day or more of process wastewater to the POTW (excluding sanitary, noncontact cooling, and boiler blow-down wastewater); contributes a process wastestream that makes up 5 percent or more of the average dry weather hydraulic or organic capacity of the POTW treatment plant; or is designated as such by the Control Authority on the basis that the industrial user has a reasonable potential for adversely affecting the POTW's operation or for violating any pretreatment standard or requirement (in accordance with 40 CFR 403.8(f)(6)).

Upon finding that the industrial user meeting the criteria in paragraph 2, above, has no reasonable potential for adversely affecting the POTW's operation or for violating any pretreatment standard or requirement, the Control Authority may at any time, on its own initiative or in response to a petition received from an industrial user or POTW, and in accordance with 40 CFR 403.8(f)(6), determine that such industrial user is not a significant industrial user.

Control Authority - means the Washington State Department of Ecology in the case of non-delegated POTWs or means the POTW in the case of delegated POTWs.

Categoric Industrial User (CIU): An industrial user subject to national categorical pretreatment standards promulgated by EPA (40 CFR 403.6 and 40 CFR parts 405-471).

Summary of Attachments That May be Required for This Application:

(Please check those attachments that are included)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | C.2. | Production schematic flow diagram and water balance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | C.4. | Wastewater treatment improvements |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | C.7. | Additional incidental materials |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | E.8. | Additional results of effluent testing |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | F.1. | Facility site map |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | H.5. | Stormwater drainage map |

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Spill Control Plan

Mercer Wine Estates

Site Contact: Jessica Munnell

Title: Winemaker/plant operation manager

Telephone: o 509-786-2097 c 509-786-8360

Operations Manager is responsible for overseeing implementation of plan for Mercer Wine Estates, and will train all full-time cellar staff annually, or as needed by procedural changes.

The following is the procedure of notification as requested by Prosser Waste Water Treatment Plant Management.

- Identify what was spilled. (juice, wine, chemicals, etc.)
- Determine the amount of the spill and note the time.
- Contact Supervisor to assess the situation.
- If it is determined the spill exceeded 500 gallons, and that it did enter the Waste Water Stream, Supervisor will then contact David Copeland or designate.
- Jessica Munnell or designate will then inform Prosser Waste Water Treatment Plant of the spill. Treatment Plant Contact: Perry Harris 786-1101 or after hours Prosser Police Department 786-1500. (Prosser Police Department will contact person on call after hours)
- Jessica Munnell or designate will call Washington State Department of Ecology (1-509-575-2490) to inform them of the spill, and that Prosser Waste Water Treatment Plant was informed.

Inventory of materials of concern:

Juice, and wine are primarily the only products of volume in a

Organized by location (chemical storage area 1, cold storage room, laboratory, fueling station, etc.)

Spill control information:

Map of site with areas where spills are most likely to occur, drains (floor and storm), valves, pumps and switches, and other control structures to contain spills, paved areas and drainage patterns for outdoor spills, and spill containment and clean up equipment. Include sanitary and storm sewers, ditches, drains and streams on site and on adjacent property.

Procedures for managing spills (by category or location)

- Toxic (pay attention to worker safety, Hazardous waste regulations; minimize quantity lost to drain or ground)
- Flammable (control fire hazard, contain water or foam used for fire control and obtain approval of Ecology and wastewater treatment system before disposal if possible)
- High BOD strength (capture as much as possible for use as cattle feed, composting, etc.; obtain approval and discharge schedule from treatment plant before discharging to sewer; obtain approval from Ecology before land application; do not discharge to a ditch)
- Water (shut off water source; keep toxic materials out of flood; obtain approval from wastewater treatment plant or Ecology as appropriate before discharging; limit discharge rate to sewer or drain; cool hot water before discharge; neutralize chemicals used for controlling fouling if appropriate)

Elements to be included in written report submitted to Ecology following spill:

- time and date of spill
- person(s) responding to spill
- nature of spill (type of material, amount, cause, impacts [sewer, ground, surface water])
- clean up (how was accomplished, where material was disposed of)
- follow up (actions which will be taken to limit potential for recurrence, improvements to response plans, etc., changes in training program)
- agencies notified of spill

**Mercer Wine Estates Spill and Slug Discharge Prevention and Control plan
ST0009263**

**MERCER WINE ESTATES
SPILL NOTIFICATION PLAN**

*As Required By Washington State Department of Ecology
Permit No. ST0009263*

*[The Permittee shall notify the POTW immediately (as soon as discovered) of all
discharges that could cause problems to the POTW.]*

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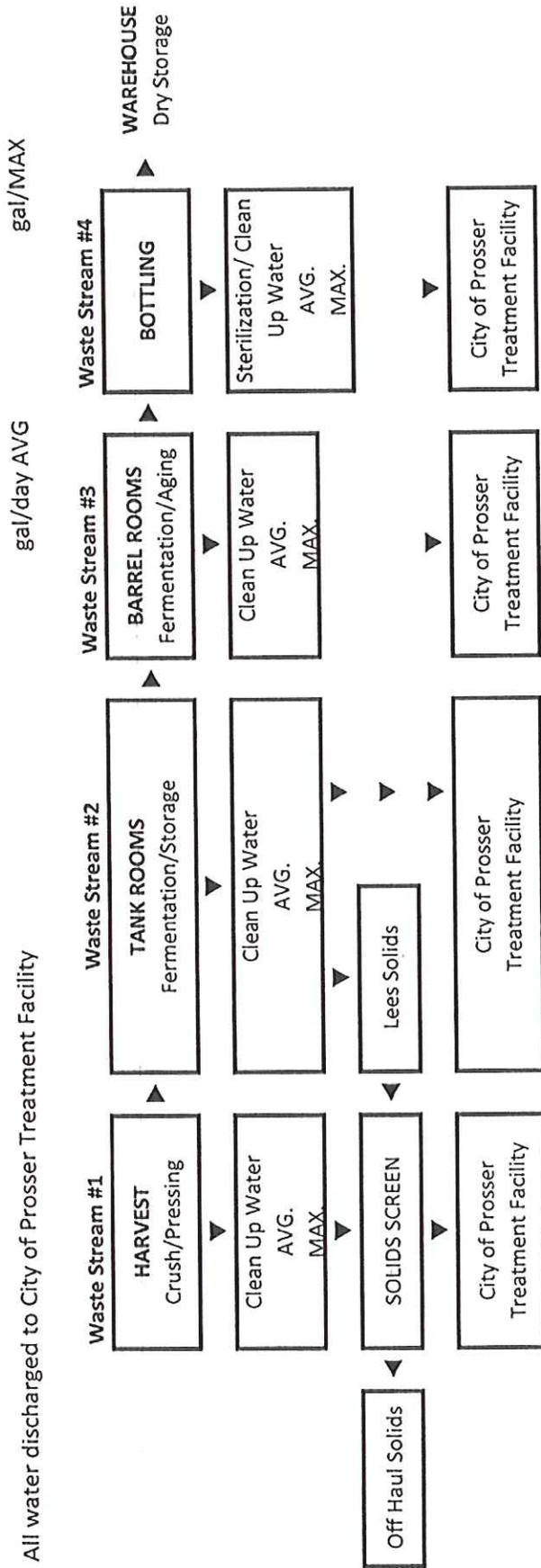


Mercer Wine Estates Solid Waste Control Plan---ST0009263

Mercer Wine Estates consolidates its waste in bins and dumps these to a truck and during harvest, grape skins, seeds and vines are conveyed directly to the truck and this is hauled to a feed lot. Harvest waste made-up of grape skins, seeds, vine remnants, and diatomaceous earth (filter-aid) are used at the feed lot, MidVale Cattle Company in Sunnyside, WA.

SECTION C.2

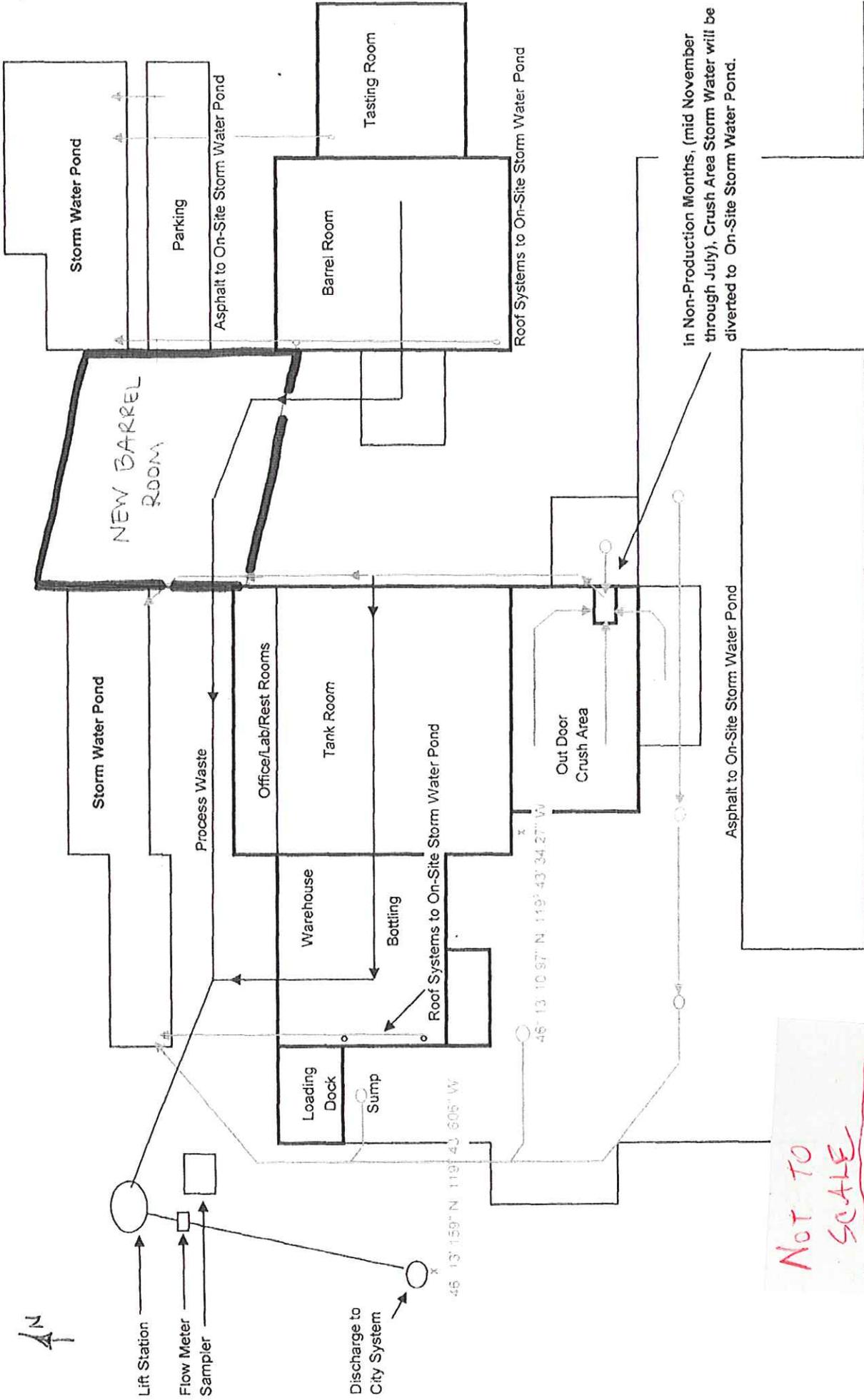
All water discharged to City of Prosser Treatment Facility



SECTION H.8

Mercer Wine Estates 3100 Lee Road

Drawing Not To Scale



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SEE GOOGLE
MAP



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Fax: (509) 662-8183
3019 G. S. Center Road
Wenatchee, WA 98801

(509) 452-7707 Batch: 416086
Fax: (509) 452-7773 Client: Mercer Wine Estates
1008 W. Ahtanum Rd Account: 15845
Union Gap, WA 98903 Sampler: Suzie Forsyth
PO Number:

--- Water Analytical Report ---

Report Date: 12/ 1/14

Mercer Wine Estates
3100 Lee Rd
Prosser, WA 99350

Laboratory Number: 14-E030019

Date Received: 11/19/14

Sample Identification: Mercer Wine Wastewater

Date Sampled: 11/18/14

Test Requested	Results	Units	RL	Method	Date Analyzed	Flags
pH	5.47			SM 4500H-B	11/20/14	
Total Suspended Solids	237.	mg/l	1.0	SM 2540-D	11/25/14	
Biological Oxygen Demand	2610	mg/L	2	SM 5210-B	11/20/14	

Andy Schut

Approved By Name: Lab Manager/Yakima

Signature:

Function:

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