



August 7, 2014

Subject: Draft Long Term Control Plan Update for the City of Omaha Combined Sewer Overflow Control Program Public Comment Period

Dear Interested Stakeholder,

The purpose of this letter is to advise you of the availability for review and comment of the Draft Long Term Control Plan Update for the Omaha Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) Control Program. The Draft Plan summarizes the results of a reevaluation of the CSO Controls to determine the most cost effective and beneficial way for the City to control CSOs from its 29 existing CSO outfalls, in accordance with the requirements of the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality (NDEQ) and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA). According to the City's Amended Consent Order with NDEQ and NPDES Permit, the controls must be constructed by 2027.

No later than noon on August 7, 2014 the Draft Plan will be available to download from the City's CSO Web Site (www.OmahaCSO.com). Hard copies of the Draft Plan are not available, however, an Executive Summary will be available upon request.

Written comments are requested to be submitted by 5 pm on Friday, September 5, 2014. Comments should be directed to Pat Nelson of the CSO Program Management Team, 222 South 15th Street, Suite 1406-S, Omaha, Nebraska 68102 or emailed to Pat at pat.nelson@ch2m.com. Public Meetings regarding the Long Term Control Plan will be conducted at the following dates and places:

Wednesday, August 6, 2014

Westside Community Center
3534 South 108th Street
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 21, 2014

Salvation Army Kroc Center
2815 Y Street
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 12, 2014

Omaha Public Schools – TAC Building (Cafeteria)
3215 Cuming Street
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

The August 12th meeting will be also be available online. To attend this meeting online, register at <http://tiny.cc/omahacso>.

Please contact Marty Grate, Environmental Services Manager for the City at (402) 444-5225 or Martin.Grate@cityofomaha.org for additional information or if you are unable to access the web site and would like the Draft Plan on a CD.

Sincerely,

Marty Grate
Environmental Services Manager