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DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY  
UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
PUBLIC NOTICE TO REISSUE A UPDES PERMIT

**PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE**

THE PURPOSE OF THIS PUBLIC NOTICE IS TO DECLARE THE STATE OF UTAH'S INTENTION TO REISSUE A UTAH POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (UPDES) PERMIT UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE UTAH WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT, SECTION 19-5-104(9) AND 107(2), UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1953, AS AMENDED. SAID "PERMIT" REFERS TO THE UPDES PERMIT AND THE FACT SHEET STATEMENT OF BASIS (INCLUDING TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOADS (TMDL'S)) IF APPLICABLE, AS PER SECTION 303(D) OF THE FEDERAL CLEAN WATER ACT (CWA)].

**PERMIT INFORMATION**

PERMITTEE NAME: Canyon Fuel Company, Skyline Mine  
MAILING ADDRESS: HCR 35, Box 380, Helper, UT 84526  
TELEPHONE NUMBER: 435-448-2636  
FACILITY LOCATION: 8 miles southwest of Scofield, UT along State Route 264 in Carbon County  
UPDES PERMIT NO.: UT0023540  
PERMITTED OUTFALLS 001, 002, 003, & 004  
RECEIVING WATER: Eccles Creek and Scofield Reservoir

**BACKGROUND**

The Canyon Fuel Company's Skyline Mine (Skyline) is an active underground coal mine operation with *Standard Industrial Classification 1222, for bituminous underground coal mining operations*. In accordance with regulations promulgated in *40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 122.44* and in *Utah Administrative Code (UAC) R317-8-4.2*, effluent limitations are derived from technology-based effluent limitations guidelines, Utah Secondary Treatment Standards (*UAC R317-1-3.2*) or Utah Water Quality Standards (*UAC R317-2*). In cases where multiple limits have been developed, those that are more stringent apply. In cases where no limits have been developed, Best Professional Judgment (BPJ) may be used where applicable.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline of the close of business on April 13, 2015. Written public comments can be submitted to: Ken Hoffman, UPDES Engineering Section, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: [kenhoffman@utah.gov](mailto:kenhoffman@utah.gov). After considering public comment the Utah Division of Water Quality may execute the permit issuance, revise it, or abandon it.

The permit is available for public review under "Public Notices" at [www.waterquality.utah.gov/](http://www.waterquality.utah.gov/). If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Ken Hoffman at 801-536-4313.