

**Division of Water Quality  
Utah Department of Environmental Quality  
Public Notice of Ground Water Discharge Permit  
Permit No. UGW010013**

**Purpose of Public Notice**

The Utah Department of Environmental Quality is soliciting comments on its proposal to issue a ground water discharge permit described below under authority of the Utah Water Quality Act, Section 19-5-104(1)(I) Utah Code Annotated 1953, as amended and Utah Administrative Code R317-6.

**Permit Information**

Permittee Name: Alpentel Energy Partners

Mailing Address: 86 North University Avenue  
Provo, Utah 84601

Facility Location: The proposed Biogas facility will be located in Section 27, Township 30 South, Range 13 West, Salt Lake Base & Meridian, west of the Thermo, UT.

Alpentel Energy Partners proposes to construct a biogas plant near Thermo in Beaver County, Utah. The facility will be adjacent to hog manure lagoons operated by Circle Four Farms. This Ground Water Discharge Permit will require best available technology and ground water compliance monitoring for two anaerobic digesters, equalization basins, lift stations at 8 farm lagoons, and associated pressurized piping. The permit establishes protection levels for ground water quality.

**Public Comments**

Public comments are invited any time prior to **Monday, August 22, 2011**. Written comments may be directed to the Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4870. All comments received prior to close of business **Monday, August 22, 2011**, will be considered in the formulation of final determinations to be imposed on the permit. A public hearing may be held if written requests are received within the first 15 days of this public comment period that demonstrate significant public interest and substantive issues exist to warrant holding a hearing.

**Further Information**

Additional information may be obtained upon request by calling Ed Hickey at (801) 536-4357 or by writing the aforementioned address. Related documents are available for review at the following website: **[www.waterquality.utah.gov](http://www.waterquality.utah.gov)** or during normal business hours at the Division of Water Quality, 195 N. 1950 W., Salt Lake City.

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