**VIA – Email and USPS Certified Mail**

**Date: Date**

**Name: Name**

**Address: Address**

**Attention: Name**

**Title**

**Subject: Issuance of Brine Line Letter to Discharge No. LTD001 to Name**

Dear Name:

The enclosed Letter to Discharge (Letter) issues pollutant limitations for the wastewater to be discharged from the above User to the Inland Empire Brine Line (Brine Line). All discharges of wastewater authorized by this Letter, and actions or reports relating thereto, shall be in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Letter, Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority (SAWPA) Ordinance No. 8, including any successors thereto (hereinafter referred to as the Ordinance), and Agency Ordinance as applicable.

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Agency Manager

Title

Agency

C: Name

**Brine Line Letter to Discharge No. LTD001**

**Discharger:**  **Name**

**Responsible Officer: Name**

**Title**

**Contact Number**

**Company**

**Address line 1**

**Address line 2**

Discharger Name (Discharger) is authorized to discharge to the Inland Empire Brine Line (Brine Line) in accordance with the effluent limitations, monitoring requirements and other conditions as set forth herein and the provisions of Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority (SAWPA) Ordinance No. 8, including any successors thereto (hereinafter referred to as Ordinance) and Agency Ordinance as applicable. Noncompliance with any term or condition of this Letter shall constitute a violation of the Ordinance and this Letter and shall subject the Discharger to applicable enforcement actions.

All reports and notifications required by this Letter and the Ordinance shall be made to:

Agency Address and Contact Number

Compliance with this Letter does not relieve the Discharger of its obligation to comply with SAWPA’s and Orange County Sanitation District’s (OCSD) wastewater regulations and all pretreatment regulations, standards, or requirements under local, State and Federal laws, including any such laws, regulations, standards, or requirements that may become effective during the term of this Letter. OCSD is the owner/operator of the Publicly Owned Treatment Works (POTW) and is recognized as the Control Authority by Federal Regulation 40 CFR 403 and has the authority and right to enforce its pretreatment program within SAWPA’s Service area. SAWPA is OCSD’s Delegated Control Authority. SAWPA and Agency is hereinafter referred to as the Control Authority.

This discharge is subject to the general and specific wastewater pollutant limits contained in the Ordinance, SAWPA Local Limits (Resolution No. 2017-11) or any successors thereto. These Local Limits apply to the combined total wastewater discharge to the Brine Line.

1. **ORIGINS OF REGULATED WASTEWATER AND DISCHARGE SUMMARY**

The Discharger has residual water from a Brine Line flush of recycled water from the Railroad Canyon Pipeline at Railroad Canyon Road, Canyon Lake, CA 92587, as authorized by SAWPA Wastewater Discharge Permit No. E1067-3. During the flush the Discharger observed a leak at the lower end of the Eastern Municipal Water District (EMWD) Non-Reclaimable Waste Line (NWL) that needed immediate repair. The residual water in the NWL was relocated and stored in three empty concrete basins at a former EMWD wastewater treatment plant in Sun City, CA. The wastewater from this discharge is comprised of residual recycled flush water and had previously been metered and sampled in accordance with Permit No. E1067-3. The total volume of the discharge is 218,790 gallons.

1. **AUTHORIZED POINT OF DISCHARGE**

The Point of Discharge shall be at the EMWD Collection Station. The wastewater discharged will be pumped from the former EMWD wastewater treatment plant in Sun City, CA to the EMWD Collection Station via truck, where it will be pumped through the NWL to the Brine Line.

This letter authorizes EMWD to employ EWMD trucks to offload the discharge, and only the discharge as described in this letter, to the EMWD Collection Station. The discharge of mixed loads is prohibited. Mixed Load shall mean a combination of any hauled authorized Brine Line wastewater with any other wastewater from authorized or unauthorized sources. If the truck has been employed for other purposes by EMWD, the discharger shall remove all waste contamination from the interior of the tank prior to removing any of the discharge from the site.

1. **DISCHARGE DURATION**

This discharge is authorized to commence on: Date and Time

and shall be complete by: Date and Time

The discharge at no time shall exceed 1,000 gallons per minute throughout the entirety of the discharge.

1. **DISCHARGE NOTIFICATIONS**

The Discharger shall notify the following agencies at the commencement and cessation of the discharge at the telephone numbers listed below.

Agency Contacts Contact Number

SAWPA 24 Hour Number (951) 324-8680

OCSD Control Center (714) 593-7025

OCSD Resource Protection Division Manager (714) 593-7437

1. **PRETREATMENT APPLICABILITY – RESERVED**
2. **ATTACHMENTS**
   1. EMWD Letter to Discharge Request Submittal Packet