

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE
MAINE WASTE DISCHARGE LICENSE / MAINE POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM
PERMIT APPLICATION**

Please take note that, pursuant to 38 MRSA, Sections 413 and 414-A, the University of New England (UNE), of 11 Hills Beach Road, Biddeford, ME 04005 intends to file a wastewater discharge permit with the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP). The application is for the discharge of 150,000 GPD of sanitary wastewater to the Saco River in Biddeford, Maine.

The application will be filed on or about August 11, 2026, and will be available for public inspection at DEP's Augusta office by request during normal business hours. A copy may also be seen at the municipal offices in Biddeford.

A request for a public hearing or request that the Board of Environmental Protection assume jurisdiction over this application must be received by the DEP, in writing, no later than 20 days after the application is found acceptable for processing, or 30 days from the date of this notice, whichever is longer. Requests shall state the nature of the issue(s) to be raised. Unless otherwise provided by law, a hearing is discretionary and may be held if the Commissioner or the Board finds significant public interest or there is conflicting technical information.

During the time specified above, persons wishing to receive copies of draft permits and supporting documents, when available, may request them from DEP. Persons receiving a draft permit shall have 30 days in which to submit comments or to request a public hearing on the draft.

Public comment will be accepted until a final administrative action is taken to approve, approve with conditions or deny this application. Written public comments or requests for information may be made to

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