

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY

No. AP-WA-39939

TO: Hutterian Brethren Church of Alix
600, 4911 – 51 Street
Red Deer, Alberta T4N 6V4
(the "Party")

After reviewing the information available to me, I have concluded that the Hutterian Brethren Church of Alix has contravened Section 36(1) of the Water Act, which is an offence pursuant to 142(1)(h) of the Water Act in respect of which an administrative penalty may be imposed. Particulars of the contravention are as follows:

DATE(S) OF CONTRAVENTION(S): October 12th and 13th, 2022
DETAILS: On October 12th and 13th, 2022, the Party conducted an activity without an approval or authorization by removing or disturbing ground in several waterbodies which changed the location and flow of water.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION/LOCATION:
NE & SE 15-39-23-W4M
Lacombe County, Alberta

I am assessing an administrative penalty of \$10,000.00 pursuant to section 152 of the Water Act and the Water (Offences and Penalties) Regulation, A.R. 193/98, and as noted in the attached decision document.

You are required to submit payment for the administrative penalty within thirty (30) days of the date of service of this Notice. If payment has not been received in the thirty (30) day period, the amount payable is recoverable in an action in debt.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 2024.

Owen Butz
Environmental Investigations Manager
Regulatory Assurance Division

RIGHT OF APPEAL

Section 115 of the Water Act may provide a right of appeal against this decision to the Alberta Environmental Appeals Board. There may be a strict time limit for filing such an appeal. A copy of section 115 is enclosed. For further information, please contact the Board Secretary at #306 Peace Hills Trust Tower, 10011 – 109 Street, Edmonton, Alberta, T5J 3S8; telephone 780-427-6207; fax 780-427-4693.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

This Notice is for your records. Please email rac.environment@gov.ab.ca and a link will be sent to you for payment to be made by VISA or MasterCard. Alternatively, a copy of this Notice along with a cheque or money order, payable to the Government of Alberta, can be mailed in an envelope marked personal and confidential to Regulatory Approvals Centre, Fifth Floor, South Petroleum Plaza, 9915 - 108th Street, Edmonton, AB, T5K 2G8. Payment is due within 30 days of the date of service of this Notice. Failure to pay the administrative penalty may result in a copy of the notice of administrative penalty being filed with the court and interest applied in accordance with the Judgement Interest Regulation.

Regulatory Approvals Centre: After completing the information at the right, please return a copy of this form to, Tricia.Kirkpatrick@gov.ab.ca.

DATE RECEIVED:
AMOUNT PAYABLE: \$10,000.00
AMOUNT PAID:
BALANCE DUE: