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**Notice of Intent
Suction Dredging General Permit
MTG370000**

The Notice of Intent (NOI37) form is to be completed by the owner or operator of a portable suction dredging operation that is eligible for coverage under the Montana Department of Environmental Quality's (DEQ) Suction Dredging General Permit (SDGP). **Please read the attached instructions before completing this form.** You must print or type legibly; forms that are not legible, not complete, or unsigned will be returned. You must maintain a copy of the completed NOI37 form for your records.

Section A - NOI37 Status (check one)

- New No prior NOI37 submitted
- Resubmitted Permit Number M T G 37 _ _ _ _
- Renewal Permit Number: M T G 37 _ _ _ _
- Modification Permit Number: M T G 37 _ _ _ _

Section B - Activity Information *(See instruction sheet):*

Name _____

Activity Location _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone Number _____ County _____

Township _____ Range _____ Quarter Section _____ ; OR

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

Is the facility located on Indian Lands? Yes No

Section C - Applicant (Owner/Operator) Information

Owner/Operator Name _____
 Mailing Address _____
 City, State, and Zip Code _____
 Applicant contact person (*name, title*) _____
 Phone Number (_____) _____ E-mail (*optional*) _____

Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Codes
 The SIC Code for gold ores is provided in box 1. If other SIC codes are applicable, provide the SIC code which best reflects the industrial activity.

SIC Code	Description	SIC Code	Description
1 1041	Gold Ores	2	

MAP: Attach a topographic map of the area extending to at least one mile beyond property boundaries of the site or activity in Section B depicting the facility or activity boundaries and the receiving water.

Section D - Outfall Location(s): Identify location and receiving water where suction dredging will take place (Use Township, Range and Quarter Section or Latitude and Longitude).

Outfall Number	Township, Range and Quarter Section	Latitude	Longitude	Receiving Water	Receiving Water Width (feet)
001					

Section E - Additional Information

1. Specify suction dredge intake diameter size: _____ inches.
2. Determine if stream is classified in ARM 17.30.601-670 as A-1, A-Closed. See [Sub-Chapter 6 - Surface Water Quality Standards and Procedures](#)). Is stream classified A-1 or A-Closed? _____ Yes _____ No
3. Will chemicals be used? _____ Yes _____ No
4. For new sources (existing sources are not required to fill out). The applicant must contact the Montana Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks (FWP) at 406-444-2449 to ensure fisheries will be protected at the proposed suction dredge location(s). If FWP determines that a seasonal restriction is required to protect fisheries, the applicant must include the seasonal restriction here:

Seasonal Restriction: _____

Date of Contact: _____

Name of Person Contacted: _____

Section F - CERTIFICATION FOR ALL OWNER/OPERATORS

All Applicants Must Complete the Following Certification:

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments are accurate and true. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information; including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations. [75-5-633, MCA].

Name (Type or Print)

Title (Type or Print)

Phone Number

Signature

Date Signed

INSTRUCTIONS FOR Form NOI37 – Notice of Intent for Suction Dredging General Permit (MTG370000)

The Suction Dredging Notice of Intent Form (NOI37 form) is to be completed by the owner/operator of a suction dredge operation that is eligible for coverage under DEQ’s *Suction Dredge General Permit (SDGP)*. SDGP documents and related forms are available on the DEQ website at: <http://www.deq.mt.gov> or from DEQ by calling (406) 444-3080.

You must provide all of the information requested in the NOI37 form to be complete, including submittal of specified fees and completed certification by the appropriate signatory. Please type or print legibly; applications that are not legible or are not complete will be returned. Responses must be self-explanatory and must not refer exclusively to attached maps, plans, or documents. You must maintain a copy of the SDGP and completed NOI37 Form for your records. Mail the completed NOI37 form and fee to:

Montana Department of Environmental Quality
Water Protection Bureau
PO Box 200901
Helena, MT 59620-0901

SPECIFIC ITEM INSTRUCTIONS

Section A – NOI37 Status

New

Check new if this is the first NOI37 submission for this facility.

Resubmitted

If DEQ returned your NOI37 to you as deficient or incomplete check Resubmitted. If resubmitted multiple times and you were sent an invoice, include the resubmitted application fee. Include the permit number that DEQ assigned.

Renewal

For existing permit authorizations. Upon renewal of the SDGP (renewable on a 5-year basis), any owner/operator that wishes to continue coverage under this general permit must submit a NOI37 for renewal. Include the permit number.

Modification

If there is a change in the facility or site information, check Modification. Include the permit number.

Each of the options above requires a fee. A complete NOI37 includes payment of the appropriate fee. Fees are found in the Administrative Rules of Montana (ARM) 17.30.201 and 75-5-516(12), Montana Code Annotated (MCA). The application fee for a resident is \$25.00. The application fee for a non-resident is \$100.00. The annual fee for a Montana resident is \$25.00. The application fee for a non-resident is \$100.00. The following fees apply:

<u>NOI37 Status</u>	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-resident</u>
New	\$50.00	\$200.00
Resubmitted	\$25.00	\$100.00
Renewal	\$25.00	\$100.00
Modification	\$25.00	\$100.00

Do not use this form to transfer permit coverage to a new owner or operator. For a permit transfer you must use Form PTN.

Section B – Activity Information

Give the activity’s official or legal name. The activity name means the source, or physical site, from which pollutants or wastes are, or will be, collected, generated, stored, treated or discharged (disposal system). The activity may be public or privately owned property. Give the address or location of this activity and the most accurate geographic information

using township, range, and ¼ section or latitude and longitude. Geographic information may be obtained at <http://nris.state.mt.us>

The site location must describe the physical location using township, range, and ¼ section or longitude or township/range/ ¼ section. P.O. boxes are not acceptable. Locational sources include GPS, a USGS topographic map, and/or “Topofinder” from <http://nris.mt.gov/interactive.html>.

Section C – Applicant (Owner/Operator) Information

Give the name, as it is legally referred to, of the person, business, or other entity that owns, operates, controls or supervises the site(s) described in Section B of this NOI37 form.

The permit will be issued to the entity identified in this section (Section C). The owner or operator assumes all liability for discharges from the site and compliance with the terms and conditions of the General Permit. If the owner or operator is other than an individual or government entity, it must be registered with the Montana Secretary of State’s office.

Complete the applicant contact person information as requested. Give the name, title, work phone number, and email address (optional) of a person who is thoroughly familiar with the operation of the facility or site activity or project and with the facts reported in this form, and who can be contacted by DEQ for additional information.

Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Codes – The NOI37 lists the primary SIC code for gold mining. If there is another SIC code for another activity list that SIC code as a secondary four-digit SIC code that best describe the business of the owner/operator. A complete list of SIC Codes [and conversions from the newer North American Industry Classification System (NAICS)] can be obtained from the Internet at <http://www.census.gov/epcd/www/naics.html>, in paper form from the document entitled “Standard Industrial Classification Manual”, Office Management and Budget, 1987, or at <http://www.osha.gov/pls/imis/sicsearch.html>.

Map – Attach a topographic map of the area extending to at least one mile beyond the property boundaries. The map must be easily legible and include all of the elements described on the NOI37 form. NOI37 forms submitted with incomplete or illegible maps will be considered incomplete and returned with instructions to provide an appropriate map.

Section D –. Outfall Location(s)

Provide a list of all discharge locations (outfalls) and receiving water name. The applicant may specify up to five outfall locations. For renewals, use the outfall number(s) specified in the current authorization. For new projects list all outfalls starting with 001.

Section E – Additional Information

Provide additional information as required.

Section F - Certification

Certification must be completed by the applicant (owner/operator) responsible for the authorization as identified in Section C.