



**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**  
**REGION IX**  
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**OFFICE OF THE  
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**NOTICE OF FINAL PERMIT DECISION**  
**Final Permit Decision for Discharge of Treated Effluent**  
**NPDES Permit No. NN0000019**  
**For the Arizona Public Service Company (APS) Four Corners Power Plant**

In accordance with the requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.), Title 40 § 124.19, the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 (EPA) is issuing the final NPDES Permit No. NN0000019, to the Arizona Public Service Company for the Four Corners Power Plant. The final NPDES Permit and copy of this notice is available on EPA's web page at: <https://www.epa.gov/npdes-permits/arizona-public-service-company-four-corners-power-plant-san-juan-county-nm-nn0000019>.

This permit was originally issued on September 30, 2019, and was subsequently appealed to the Environmental Appeals Board (EAB) for review under 40 C.F.R § 124.19. The Permit was stayed pending review by the EAB. After review of the briefs filed in the appeal and oral argument, the EAB issued an order denying the petitions for review of the Permit on September 30, 2020.

The effective date of the final NPDES permit is on the first day of the month after this notice is signed. This date operates as the final agency action for purpose of judicial review under 33 U.S.C. § 1369(b) and 5 U.S.C. § 704. Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 122.62, EPA is concurrently revoking the existing NPDES NN0000019 issued on September 30, 2019.

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