

Wastewater

Altus Air Force Base is authorized to discharge industrial wastewater from the Air Force Base into the City of Altus's wastewater collection system under Wastewater Discharge Permit Number 02-22. Altus Air Force Base is classified as a Non-Categorical Significant Industrial User (SIU). The permit specifies that all discharges must adhere to the conditions outlined, with samples being taken bi-annually to ensure compliance.

The permit sets specific limits on pollutants such as heavy metals (arsenic, lead, mercury), cyanide, and pH levels. The base is required to conduct regular monitoring and sampling, with most pollutants tested every six months. The permit details the procedures for sample collection, preservation, and analysis, and requires the submission of Self-Monitoring Reports. In case of any violation, accidental discharge, or release of hazardous materials, the City of Altus must be notified within 24 hours. Failure to comply with these conditions may lead to enforcement actions, including penalties and public notification of non-compliance.

A copy of the wastewater permit may be viewed on eDASH.

Permit Expires May 2027