

## DEHN Beth \* TIC

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**Sent:** Tuesday, June 3, 2025 1:20 PM  
**To:** DEHN Beth \* TIC  
**Cc:** CHEYNE Diane \* TIC; rithy.khut@multco.us  
**Subject:** RE: Multnomah Falls Info Kiosk- Septic Review

Hi Beth,

We did some digging and after speaking with DEQ, we learned that Multnomah Falls has its own wastewater treatment plant and is on a NPDES permit:

The screenshot shows a web interface for a Permit/License/Certificate (PLC) record. The title is "Permit/License/Certificate (PLC) Water Quality". The record number is # 101507, with other identifiers OR0040410 and 48216. The permit is for "USFS; Multnomah Falls Lodge STP". The site information includes a photo of the facility, the name "USFS; Multnomah Falls Lodge STP", the address "ON I-84 AT EXIT 31, MULTNOMAH FALLS, OR 97019", a facility identifier "21581", and a status of "Stationary". The permittee is "USDA/US FOREST SERVICE - COLUMBIA RIVER GORGE NAT'L SCENIC AREA", issued by "Helen Sanders". The PLC number is 101507, and the PLC type is "NPDES Individual Domestic Permit - DOM Da". The permit status is "Issued". The issued date is 11/28/1997, the effective date is 05/02/2024, and the expiration date is 04/30/2029.

Permittee Name	Issued By
USDA/US FOREST SERVICE - COLUMBIA RIVER GORGE NAT'L SCENIC AREA	Helen Sanders

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Therefore, no septic review is needed, as there is no septic system on the property. The building in the parking lot on the east side of the property is the wastewater treatment plant.

Donna has canceled the septic evaluation. I spoke with Rithy on the phone and he is cc'ed on this email.

Please let me know if there are further questions.

Sincerely,

**Lindsey Reschke**, WWS (she/her)  
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Hi Donna,

Thanks for the email. Rithy Khut in the Land Use Planning Division suggested we check-in with your department before we pay the fee. Our project is bit unusual as it is located in the middle of the I-84 freeway and does not have septic. He said to direct your office to him if there are questions.

**Project Description:** The Multnomah Falls Information Center is a structure erected by the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) in 1975 and is maintained by the Travel Information Council (TIC) to display motorist information. It is located on a 577 sq. ft. concrete pad in the middle of the Multnomah Falls parking lot on ODOT right-of-way. The structure is unstaffed, partially enclosed, and covered. TIC will replace the existing Multnomah Falls Kiosk with a new, updated kiosk to provide traveler information for visitors accessing Multnomah Falls via exit 31 off of Interstate 84.

Thank you, Beth

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Please use this link <https://www.portlandoregon.gov/bds/appeals/payment/> to pay **\$894** for the **SEPTIC REVIEW CERTIFICATION** at **MULTOMAH FALLS PARKING LOT FOR THE KIOSK** using IVR

#5158222. Please let us know when the payment has been made. Once it has been posted the submittal will be placed in the queue for review in the order it was received.

Thanks,  
Donna Ault

**Multnomah County Septic Sanitation**

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Good morning,

The Travel Information Council is submitting a septic review for replacing the Multnomah Falls Info Kiosk, located in the center of the state-owned parking lot.

Thank you, Beth

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