

An Act

ENROLLED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1826

By: Martin and Jordan of the
House

and

Standridge of the Senate

An Act relating to environment and natural resources; amending 27A O.S. 2011, Section 2-6-107, which relates to the definition of gray water; allowing the use of wastewater from splash pads for certain purposes and under certain conditions without a permit; providing for references to certain terms; and declaring an emergency.

SUBJECT: Gray water

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 27A O.S. 2011, Section 2-6-107, is amended to read as follows:

Section 2-6-107. A. "Gray water" means untreated household wastewater that has not come in contact with toilet waste and includes wastewater from bathtubs, showers, washbasins, clothes washing machines and laundry tubs and untreated municipal wastewater limited to wastewater captured from municipal splash pads and water used by fire departments for cleaning equipment and vehicles. Gray water shall not include wastewater from kitchen sinks, kitchen dishwashers or laundry water from the washing of material soiled with human excreta, such as diapers.

B. The definition of gray water in subsection A of this section shall apply only in municipalities enacting ordinances regulating the use of gray water within the limits of their municipal boundaries.

C. The Department of Environmental Quality shall not require a permit for reusing captured wastewater from a splash pad for irrigation or land application, with or without intermediary storage

units, if the splash pad is within the jurisdictional boundaries of a municipality or county that has enacted an ordinance or resolution regulating the management of wastewater from splash pads and the ordinance or resolution, at a minimum, includes the same conditions and restrictions as set forth in paragraphs 5, 8, 11, and 12 of subsection A of Section 2-6-108 of this title. For purposes of this subsection, the term "splash pad" shall also include facilities known as spray pools, spray pads, and spray grounds.

SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the House of Representatives the 29th day of April, 2015.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

Passed the Senate the 14th day of April, 2015.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

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