

Fla. company's technology to be used to clean Gulf spill

July 9 -- A wastewater treatment system from a Florida company will be used to help clean wastewater in the Gulf Oil Spill.

Ecosphere Technologies, Inc. of Florida announced a new agreement with Mid-Gulf Recovery Services, LLC to utilize its Ecosphere Ozonix technology.

Mid-Gulf will supply Ecosphere's Ozonix technology to clean wastewater throughout the Gulf region for BP as the oil company works to deal with the aftermath of the April 20 explosion on its Deepwater Horizon oil rig off the coast of Louisiana.

The water treatment system does not use chemicals and can treat gray and black wastewaters to meet allowable discharge requirements.

Mid-Gulf Recovery provides equipment and services to BP under a master service contract, company officials said.

For more information on the system, visit www.ecospheretechnology.com/industries/oil-gas/gulf-deployment-equipment.

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