

New Southeastern Compost, LLC Tier Three Compost Facility Approved

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC), Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) has issued a new Tier Three Compost Facility permit to Southeastern Compost, LLC. The facility, identified as Southeastern Compost, LLC (CMP750000008), is located in Rutherford County at 5590 Hickory Grove Road, Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

This permit authorizes the construction, operation, and closure of a Tier Three composting facility for waste materials classified as Type 1, 2, and/or 3 feedstocks consisting of agricultural residuals, source-separated organics, food processing residuals, sewage sludge, biosolids, and other materials as approved by DSWM and consistent with Rule 0400-11-01-.11 "REQUIREMENTS FOR COMPOST AND COMPOSTING FACILITIES". No hazardous wastes, as regulated by the Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Act (Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-101, et. seq.), and the Rules adopted pursuant to that Act, shall be accepted for disposal at this facility.

DSWM made the draft of this permit available for review during a 45-day public comment period which ended on March 4, 2024. DSWM received no oral or written comments during the above-mentioned public comment period.

The final permit is posted online. Visit tn.gov/environment/notices/southeasterncompost to access the facility information in the Dataviewer. Two locations also have paper copies available for review:

TDEC Central Office
TDEC DSWM, Tennessee Tower
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 14th Floor
Nashville, TN 37243
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