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Division of Solid Waste Management
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
FOR A SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITY

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM), will conduct a public hearing to receive comments on its tentative decision to issue a solid waste disposal facility **major permit modification** to Riverside C&D Landfill, LLC for construction, operation, closure, and post-closure care of modification to the existing Class III Landfill, located in Knox County at 3400 Delrose Drive, Knoxville, Tennessee, for the disposal of farming wastes, landscaping and land clearing wastes, construction/demolition wastes, shredded automotive tires, and certain wastes having similar characteristics and approved in writing by the department.

The hearing, which is being scheduled at the request of the applicant, Riverside C&D Landfill LLC, will be held on Monday, November 9, 2009 in the library of Austin-East High School, 2800 Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue, Knoxville, Tennessee. From 6:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. EST, citizens are invited to inspect and discuss the permit application, draft permit, fact sheet, plans, and other materials with the DSWM and with representatives of the applicant. There will be an opportunity for public comments to be recorded or written and submitted from 6:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The formal hearing will begin at 7:00 p.m. The DSWM will explain its tentative decision to issue the permit, after which the applicant's representative will describe the proposed facility. DSWM will then receive oral comments on the draft permit from the public.

The facility, identified as DML 47-0011, is located in Knox County, 3400 Delrose Drive, Tennessee (latitude 35 58'48" N/ longitude 83 51'50" W). 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 the Act, shall be accepted for disposal at this facility. The official responsible for operation of the facility is Mr. Bob Alley, 5500 Lonas Drive, Suite 330, Knoxville, Tennessee 37909; telephone: 865-546-6311.

Following an in-depth review of the application, DSWM has made a preliminary determination that this proposal meets the applicable requirements of Tennessee Rule Chapter 1200-1-7, Solid Waste Processing and Disposal. **However, due to the volume of public comment received during the designated comment period, which ended on August 27, 2009, a public hearing will be held to further consider this decision.** It is the present intent of DSWM, pending consideration of any contrary technical information received during the hearing, that this permit be issued. The public comment period has been extended, accordingly, to December 7, 2009.

The public is also invited to submit comments in writing to: Mr. Mike Apple, Division of Solid Waste Management, 5th Floor, L&C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville, TN 37243-1535; telephone: 615-532-0780. Comments must be received by 4:30 p.m. CST on Monday, December 7, 2009, to assure consideration. After considering all public comments, the DSWM Director will issue a final permit decision and a Response to Comments, which can be viewed at the Knoxville Lawson McGhee Library or at the DSWM Field Office in Knoxville, Tennessee.

If you wish to review the data for this proposal or obtain further information prior to the hearing, please contact the DSWM at the TDEC Knoxville Field Office, 3711 Middlebrook Pike, Knoxville, Tennessee 37921; telephone: 865-594-6035. A copy of the data on this proposal may also be viewed at the Lawson McGhee Library, 500 West Church Avenue, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902; telephone: 865-215-8701.

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation is committed to the principles of equal opportunity, equal access, and affirmative action. Individuals with disabilities who wish to participate in these proceedings (or to review these filings) should contact the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed to facilitate such participation. Such contact may be in person, by writing, telephone, or other means, and should be made no less than ten days prior to the scheduled meeting date, or date such party intends to review such filings, to allow time to provide such aid or service. Contact the ADA Coordinator at 1-866-253-5827 for further information. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service, telephone: 1-800-848-0298.

Persons who wish to be on the Division of Solid Waste Management's mailing list should obtain a Mailing List Request form by calling or writing the Public Participation Officer, Division of Solid Waste Management, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, 5th Floor, L & C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville TN 37243-1535, telephone: (615) 532-0798, email: solid.waste@tn.gov.

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