TENNESSEE ALUMINUM PROCESSOR INC & SMELTER SERVICE INDUSTRIAL LANDFILL PERMIT MODIFICATION – COMMENTS WELCOME

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC), Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM), has tentatively decided to issue a solid waste disposal facility permit major modification to the Tennessee Aluminum Processor Inc & Smelter Service for their Class II Landfill. This permit modification will result in an expansion to the existing permitted landfill footprint.

The facility, identified as TAP-SSC Landfill (IDL600000213), is located in Maury County at 7249 Hoover Mason Road, Mount Pleasant, TN 3847 (latitude 35.548889/longitude -87.173611). This permit would allow the construction, operation, closure and postclosure care of the Class II disposal facility for the disposal of waste classified as waste by-product from an industrial-secondary aluminum smelter process. 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. A.J. Sanchez, Facility Manager, TAP-SSC Class II Landfill, 7249 Hoover Mason Road, Mount Pleasant, TN 38474 (352-536-3430).

DSWM has made a preliminary determination that Tennessee Aluminum Processor Inc & Smelter Service's application meets the applicable requirements of Tennessee Rule Chapter 0400-11-01, Solid Waste Processing and Disposal. Pending consideration of any comments received during the 45-day comment period, DSWM intends to issue this permit modification.

DSWM invites the public to review and submit comments on this proposal anytime during the 45-day comment period ending on Thursday, September 1, 2022. Electronic copies of the application and draft permit are available online at tn.gov/environment/notices/tapssc and at the DSWM Central Office on the 14th Floor of the Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Ave, Nashville, TN 37243 (615-532-0780). Paper copies may be reviewed at the Mt. Pleasant Public Library, 200 Hay Long Avenue, Mt. Pleasant, TN 38474 (931-379-3752) and at the TDEC Columbia Environmental Field Office, 1421 Hampshire Pike, Columbia, Tennessee, 38401 (931-380-3371).

To comment on the draft permit or request a public hearing on this issue, contact Mr. Jeremy Hooper in DSWM's Central Office at the TN Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Ave, 14th Floor, Nashville, TN 37243 (615-686-7847), email Jeremy.Hooper@tn.gov or fax 615-532-0938. Comments must be received by 4:30 p.m. CDT on Thursday, September 1, 2022, to assure consideration. A request for a public hearing must be in writing and state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. If a hearing is scheduled, another notice will be published at least 15 days in advance.

After considering all public comments, DSWM will make a final decision to issue or deny the permit. DSWM will provide notice of the final permit decision and a Response to Comments addressing all significant input received on the draft permit to the applicant and to each person who has submitted written comments. These documents will also be available online and at the repositories listed above.

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