

Legal Notice
For
Air Quality Operating Permit
for Corralitos Regional Landfill of South Central Solid Waste Authority

South Central Solid Waste Authority at 2865 W Amador Ave; Las Cruces, NM 88005 has submitted an air quality operating permit application to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) for an air quality operating permit for its Corralitos Regional Landfill. The owner of this plant is South Central Solid Waste Authority. The exact location of the facility is/will be at latitude and longitude decimal degrees: 32.240342, -107.030436 Datum: NAD83. To aid in locating this facility, the approximate location is 12 mi SW of Fairacres in Dona Ana County, NM. This application file has been assigned an Operating Permit Number P188L-R1 and TEMPO Agency Interest ID No. 175.

Este es un aviso de la oficina de Calidad del Aire del Departamento del Medio Ambiente de Nuevo México, acerca de las emisiones producidas por un establecimiento en esta área. Si usted desea información en español, por favor comuníquese con esa oficina al teléfono 505-476-5557.

The facility was not required to obtain an air quality construction permit and is in operation.

The main purpose of the facility is to dispose of solid waste from Doña Ana County and the surrounding region.

This operating permit application is for a permit renewal and significant modification. Per 20.2.70.401.C.(4) NMAC, this permitting action involves renewing the permit and adding an initial gas collection and control system (GCCS) design plan for complying with methane limits under 40 CFR 60 Subpart XXX for new or modified municipal solid waste landfills. In addition, the facility will install a landfill gas flare to combust gas collected by the GCCS.

The estimated maximum air pollutant emissions to the atmosphere, from this facility after the requested operating permit is issued, are as follows. The facility is a minor source of greenhouse gas emissions. Emissions are expressed in tons per year (tpy). Nitrogen Oxides (NO_x) at 6.6 tpy (+6.6); Carbon Monoxide (CO) at 30.5 tpy (+30.5); Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) at 8.4 tpy (-6.4); Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂) at 2.4 tpy (+2.4); Non-methane Organic Compounds (NMOC) at 43.7 megagrams per year (calculated for year 2019) (+3.8); Particulate Matter 10 microns or less (PM₁₀) at 11.1 tpy (+1.7); Particulate Matter 2.5 microns or less (PM_{2.5}) at 1.9 tpy (-0.1); and greenhouse gas (CO₂e) >75,000 tpy.

The NMED has conducted a preliminary review of the information submitted with the permit application. This review included evaluation of the emission rates and applicable requirements to determine compliance.

The NMED has made a preliminary determination that this facility will comply with the requirements of Title 20, New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC), Chapter 2, Parts 1, 7, 61, 64, 70, 71, 72, 73, 77 and 82; 40 CFR 50; 40 CFR 60 Subparts A, IIII, and XXX; 40 CFR 63 Subparts A and ZZZZ; and the New Mexico Air Quality Control Act. Therefore, the preliminary intent of NMED is to issue the air quality operating permit on or before August 6, 2021.

Interested persons may obtain the draft operating permit, submit written comments, or request a public hearing on Operating Permit Number P188L-R1 by contacting Rebecca Procter at the New Mexico Environment Department, Air Quality Bureau, 525 Camino de los Marquez Suite 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505-1816, or by e-mail at Rebecca.procter@state.nm.us .

Written requests for public hearing must state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. Comments must be based on the requirements of the applicable state and federal air quality regulations and the Clean Air Act. Comments or hearing requests must be received within 30 days after the public notice is published.

Due to the public health emergency order, certain NMED offices are closed to the public. The permit application is currently available for review on the AQB Public Notices of Permitting Actions website www.env.nm.gov/air-quality/public-notice-of-permitting-actions/. The Department contact in Santa Fe is Rebecca Procter at 505-476-4301, Rebecca.procter@state.nm.us .

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