NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE APPLICATION FOR PERMIT MODIFICATION FOR THE SHOREWAY ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER SAN MATEO COUNTY CALIFORNIA

APPLICANT: SOUTH BAYSIDE WASTE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY (SBWMA)

FACILITY NAME: SHOREWAY ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER

FACILITY LOCATION: 225, 333 SHOREWAY ROAD SAN CARLOS CA 94070

SOLID WASTE FACILITY PERMIT NUMBER: 41-AA-0016

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DATE OF SUBMITTAL: June 8, 2015

DATE OF ACCEPTANCE: July16, 2015

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As a property owner, tenant, or person with vested interest in the project vicinity, please be advised that the County of San Mateo Solid Waste Local Enforcement Agency (LEA) has accepted a permit modification application package from the SBWMA for the Shoreway Environmental Center. The LEA is certified by the California Department of Resources, Recycling, and Recovery (CalRecycle) to enforce state laws and regulations at solid waste sites and facilities within the County of San Mateo.

Description of the Project

On June 8, 2015, the LEA received a modified permit application package. The purpose for the modification is twofold. First, some references in the existing SWFP pertain to specific interim procedures developed for operations during the 2009 construction of the facility. These references are out dated and do not reflect the current operations of the facility. Second, the modification will include two Transfer Processing Report (TPR) Amendments.

Permit Language

Section 15 of the SWFP will be changed to reference the 2015 Transfer Processing Report (TPR) which represents the current operations of the facility. In addition, LEA Condition O of the SWFP will require deleting language that references the 2009 interim procedures developed for operations during the facility construction. These procedures are no longer necessary.

TPR Amendments

The permit modification package will include two TPR amendments which include the establishment of an emergency Baled Post Consumer Material Storage Area. The emergency storage area is to be utilized during problems with the shipping ports or restrictions from international processors which may require longer onsite storage time for the bald material. Second, the construction of a canopy roof structure to the Material Recovery Facility (MRF) to increase roof coverage for the material tipping area at the MRF building.

Findings

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations (CCR) Title 27, Section 21620(a)(4) and 21655(e), San Mateo County Environmental Health Division as the LEA has reviewed the proposed modified permit application package and has determined that the package is complete and correct. In addition, The Transfer Processing Report (TPR) meets the requirements of Title 14 CCR Sections 17863 and 18221.6. The approval of proposed solid waste facility modified permit would not lead to any adverse environmental impacts and is not in conflict with the existing CEQA for this facility as determined by this agency. This determination was made on July 15, 2015.

Purpose of This Notification

This notification is for any interested parties to learn more about the proposed permit modification and to provide comments to the LEA regarding the proposed action. As required by Statute, the decision to approve or deny the SWFP modification, will be made by the LEA within 120 days of the date the application was accepted for filing and deemed complete and correct. The proposed modified permit will be submitted to CalRecycle for concurrence prior to issuance of the SWFP.

Where to get additional information

A copy of the proposed SWFP modification as well as the updated Transfer Processing Report is available for public review by appointment in the LEA office located at 2000 Alameda De Las Pulgas Suite 100, San Mateo, CA 94403.

Options for Submitting Comments and LEA Contact Information

If you have any questions after reviewing the above information or would like to schedule an appointment to review the draft SWFP modification, please contact Greg Schirle at (650) 372-6297. You may also email the LEA regarding this matter at gschirle@smcgov.org or fax your comments to the fax number (650) 627-8244.

Appeals Process Information

For information on the appeals process pursuant to PRC §44307 after the decision to issue or deny the permit modification(s) has occurred, you may contact Greg Schirle at (650) 372-6297 or email gschirle@smcgov.org