

General information

Public comment period begins: October 9, 2020
Public comment period ends: November 9, 2020 (4:30 p.m.)
Current permit issued: January 8, 2010
Current permit expiration date: January 8, 2015

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) Commissioner has made a preliminary determination to reissue this permit for a term of approximately ten years.

Name and address of Permittee:	Facility name and location:	MPCA contact person:
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A draft permit is available for review on the MPCA Public Notices webpage at <http://www.pca.state.mn.us/publicnotices>. Additional materials relating to the issuance of this permit are available for inspection by appointment at any MPCA office (<https://www.pca.state.mn.us/about-mpca/mpca-offices>) between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. The MPCA will mail or email a copy of the draft permit upon request. Comments, petitions, and other requests must be received at the MPCA in writing on or before the public comment period end date and time identified above.

Watershed: NA

Receiving water: NA

Description of Permitted Facility

On August 21, 1992, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) issued permit SW-422 to Marshall County for the construction and operation of a demolition debris land disposal facility. The original design capacity of the facility was 48,000 cubic yards. On May 7, 1998, the MPCA modified and reissued permit SW-422 for an increased design capacity of 81,100 cubic yards. On June 6, 2003, the MPCA reissued permit SW-422. On March 7, 2005, the MPCA modified and reissued permit SW-422 to acknowledge a vertical expansion of the landfill. Eight additional cells will be constructed on top of the existing landfill footprint for a new design capacity of 145,300 cubic yards. The 2005 permit authorized development of the first three cells of Phase V for a total permitted capacity of 104,350 cubic yards. The 2010 permit authorized the development of the site through Phase V, Cell 4 for a total permitted capacity of 113,350 cubic yards.

The demolition debris landfill occupies about 6.5 acres in the southwest corner of the site. The base of the landfill was developed in four phases each consisting of five cells. All four initial phases have been completed and temporary final cover has been placed on Phases I, II and III. A vertical expansion (Phase V) is being developed with eight cells on top of the existing Phases I - IV with the active cell operation starting over Phase IV. This permit authorizes the development of the site through the total permitted capacity of 145,300 cubic yards. The demolition landfill is designated as Waste Activity DD 001 in this permit

Marshall County accepts appliances (RE 001) and electronics (RE 002) for temporary storage at the demolition landfill prior to recycling. The requirements for these activities are in section RE 00# in this permit.

The facility lacks a characterization of the geology below 16 feet below ground surface. No groundwater flow or characterization data have been collected at the site. The site will be planning and installing a groundwater monitoring system during the permit term.

The preliminary determination to reissue this Solid Waste permit is tentative.

Procedure for public participation

As stated in Minn. R. chs. 7000 and 7001, there are three formal procedures for public participation in the MPCA's consideration of this matter. Interested persons may:

- (1) Submit written comments on the draft permit.
- (2) Petition the MPCA to hold a public informational meeting.
- (3) Petition the MPCA to hold a contested case hearing.

Submitting written comments

To submit comments or petitions to the MPCA through the mail or email, you must state:

- (1) Your interest in the permit application or the draft permit.
- (2) The action you wish the MPCA to take, including specific references to the section of the draft permit you believe should be changed.
- (3) The reasons supporting your position, stated with sufficient specificity as to allow the MPCA to investigate the merits of the position.

Public informational meeting

A public informational meeting is an informal meeting during which interested persons can ask questions concerning the proposed facility. MPCA staff will be present to provide information. If an interested person would like the MPCA to hold a public informational meeting, the person should include all information identified above and in addition include a statement of the reasons the person desires the MPCA to hold a public informational meeting and the issues that the person would like the agency to address at the public informational meeting.

Contested Case Hearing

A contested case hearing is a formal proceeding before an administrative law judge empowered to advise the MPCA regarding issues of fact. As described in Minn. R. 7000.1800, persons who submit petitions for a contested case hearing must also state the issues they propose to address in a contested case hearing, the specific relief requested or resolution of the matter, and the reasons (which may be in the form of proposed findings) supporting an MPCA decision to hold a contested case hearing. Failure to comply with these rules exactly may result in a denial of the request. To the extent known, the petitioner may also submit a list of prospective witnesses to be called at a hearing, a proposed list of publications, references, or studies to be introduced at a hearing and the approximate time required for the petitioner to present the matter at a hearing. The decision whether to hold a contested case hearing will be made under Minn. R. 7000.1900.