

North Central Texas Council of Governments

SUMMARY

Resource Conservation Council Facility Conformance Subcommittee

Thursday, July 21, 2022

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., via Video Conference Call

[Link to Join Microsoft Teams Meeting](#)

Or, call-in (audio only):

1-903-508-4574

Conference ID: 917 464 504#

Chair: Jeff Mayfield, North Texas Municipal Water District

Vice-Chair: Patricia Redfearn, City of Grand Prairie

1. Welcome and Introductions.

PRESENTATION

2. Ben Camacho, Director of Permitting and Compliance, WRM, Steve Charo, Director of Operations, SouthWaste, and Spenser J Harvey, P.E., Civil Engineer, Parkhill, will brief the Subcommittee on the permit amendment application for SouthWaste Disposal, LLC, Dallas Facility, a Type V facility in Mansfield, Texas.

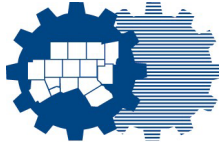
Mr. Camacho stated that the SouthWaste Disposal, LLC, Dallas Facility, is a full-service liquid waste management company. It accepts all non-hazardous liquid waste, but mostly grease trap waste. The amendment seeks to increase the waste acceptance rate from 32 million gallons per year to 50 million gallons per year.

Ways that the facility works towards the goals of the Regional Plan: Any oil (approximately 1.5% to 2%) that is recovered from grease capture is sold as biofuel. Further, the facility will assist with public awareness about illegal dumping by using signs and brochures.

ACTION ITEM

3. The Subcommittee will discuss the permit amendment application for SouthWaste Disposal, LLC, Dallas Facility, and vote whether to recommend to the Resource Conservation Council (RCC) that the application conforms to the North Central Texas Regional Solid Waste Management Plan.

There was one question from the Subcommittee:



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- 1) If 1.5% to 2.0% of the waste is reclaimed for biofuel, and 80% is liquid, what is the remaining portion?

Approximately 17-18% is solids, which is landfilled.

Risa Weinberger, Risa Weinberger & Associates, Inc., made a motion to recommend to the Resource Conservation Council that the major permit amendment application for SouthWaste Disposal, LLC, Dallas Facility, conforms to the North Central Texas Regional Solid Waste Management Plan. Ami Reeder, City of Denton, seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

4. Next Steps – The RCC will vote to approve the Subcommittee’s conformance recommendation for SouthWaste Disposal, LLC at its next meeting on August 18, 2022. After this meeting, a letter stating the RCC’s final conformance determination will be submitted to TCEQ, and a copy will also be sent to the applicant.

PRESENTATION

5. Jason Edwards, P.E., Senior Engineer, Weaver Consultants Group, and Adam Hart, Team Environmental Manager, Republic Waste Services of Texas, Ltd., will brief the Subcommittee on the major permit amendment application for the City of Arlington Landfill, a Type I facility in Tarrant County.

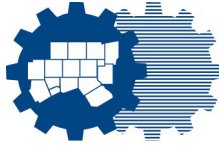
The City of Arlington has owned and operated the City of Arlington landfill for about 40 years. About 17 years ago, Republic Services began operating the facility. The amendment will increase the permitted waste disposal area, currently at 382.7 acres, by 7.8 acres, resulting in an additional site life of approximately 15 years. The existing permit boundary is 774.3 and will remain unchanged with this amendment. The permitted maximum elevation (759 feet mean sea level) and the type of waste accepted will also remain unchanged. No traffic pattern changes are anticipated with the amendment.

Ways that the facility works towards the goals of the Regional Plan: Maintaining landfill facilities are a long-term component of the Regional Plan.

There was one question from the Subcommittee:

- 1) How are you getting the additional 7.8 acres to the permitted waste disposal area?

About 22-23 acres was trimmed from the northern boundary and space was added in the center.



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ACTION ITEMS

6. The Subcommittee will discuss the major permit amendment application for the City of Arlington Landfill and vote whether to recommend to the RCC that the application conforms to the North Central Texas Regional Solid Waste Management Plan.

Risa Weinberger, Risa Weinberger & Associates, made a motion to recommend to the Resource Conservation Council that the major permit amendment for the City of Arlington Landfill conforms to the North Central Texas Regional Solid Waste Management Plan. Ami Reeder, City of Denton, seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

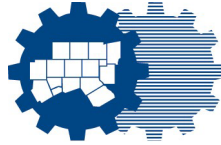
7. Next Steps – The RCC will vote to approve the Subcommittee’s conformance recommendation for the City of Arlington Landfill at its next meeting on August 18, 2022. After this meeting, a letter stating the RCC’s final conformance determination will be submitted to TCEQ, and a copy will also be sent to the applicant.
8. Leadership for the FY23 Facility Conformance Subcommittee. If leadership positions are vacant and need to be voted upon, the Subcommittee will do so at this time.

No nominations were received for the vacant Chair position. The Vice-Chair, Patricia Redfearn, graciously agreed to accept the position. Patricia Redfearn made a motion to nominate Risa Weinberger to serve as the Vice-Chair. Ami Reeder seconded the motion. No other nominations were received. The motion passed unanimously.

9. Adjournment.

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Elena Berg at (817) 608-2363 or eberg@nctcog.org. Thank you!

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Virtual Meeting Attendance

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Guests

Vince Hrabal, Republic Services

Clint Dickerson, Republic Services

Ben Camacho, WRM

Spenser Harvey, Parkhill

Todd Stiggins, Parkhill

Steve Charo, SouthWaste

Adam Hart, Republic Services

Jennifer Wichmann, City of Arlington

Jason Edwards, Weaver Consultants Group

Dave Hildreth, Republic Services

Subcommittee Members

Patricia Redfearn, Vice-Chair of Subcommittee, City of Grand Prairie

David Bull, Ellis County

Donna Giles, City of Allen

Ami Reeder, City of Denton

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