

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality



Notice of a Public Meeting for a New Municipal Solid Waste Facility Registration Application No. 40291

Application. Lealco, Inc., 7118 US Highway 59 South, Goodrich, Texas 77335, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for proposed Registration No. 40291, to construct and operate a Type V municipal solid waste transfer station. The proposed facility, Bastrop Transfer Station, will be located approximately 0.5 miles northeast of the intersection of State Hwy 21 and FM 812 at 2019 W SH 21, Cedar Creek, Texas, 78612, in Bastrop County. The Applicant is requesting authorization to transfer municipal solid waste which includes wastes resulting from or incidental to municipal, community, commercial, institutional, and recreational activities; construction or demolition waste; special waste that does not interfere with site operations; and other wastes such as Class 2 and Class 3 industrial waste. A complete listing of acceptable and prohibited wastes is contained in the application which can be viewed online at <http://www.scsengineers.com/State>. The applicant is also proposing to recycle at least 10 percent of municipal solid waste by weight or weight equivalent through source-separation recycling programs. The following link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice: <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.html?lat=30.0749&lng=-97.5649&zoom=13&type=r>. For exact location, refer to application.

Executive Director Action. The executive director shall, after review of an application for registration, determine if the application will be approved or denied in whole or in part. If the executive director acts on an application, the chief clerk shall mail or otherwise transmit notice of the action and an explanation of the opportunity to file a motion to overturn the executive director's decision. The chief clerk shall mail this notice to the owner and operator, the public interest counsel, and to other persons who timely filed public comment in response to public notice. Not all persons on the mailing list for this notice will receive the notice letter from the Office of the Chief Clerk.

Public Comment/Public Meeting. A public meeting will be held and will consist of two parts, an Informal Discussion Period and a Formal Comment Period. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedure Act. During the Informal Discussion Period, the public will be encouraged to ask questions of the applicant and TCEQ staff concerning the registration application. The comments and questions submitted orally during the Informal Discussion Period will not be considered before a decision is reached on the registration application and no formal response will be made. Responses will be provided orally during the Informal Discussion Period. During the Formal Comment Period on the registration application, members of the public may state their formal comments orally into the official record. All formal comments will be considered before a decision is reached on the registration application. The executive director is not required to file a response to comments.

**The Public Meeting is to be held:
Monday, September 18, 2017 at 7:00 PM
Cedar Creek High School (Cafetorium)
793 Union Chapel Road
Cedar Creek, Texas 78612**

Information. Written public comments or requests to be placed on the permanent mailing list for this application should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk mail code MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically submitted to <http://www14.tceq.texas.gov/epic/eComment/>. If you choose to communicate with the TCEQ electronically, please be aware that your e-mail address, like your physical mailing address, will become part of the agency's public record. For information about this application or the registration process, individual members of the general public may call the TCEQ Public Education Program at 1-800-687-4040. *Si desea información en Español, puede llamar 1-800-687-4040.* General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.texas.gov.

The registration application is available for viewing and copying at the Bastrop Public Library, 1100 Church Street, Bastrop, Texas 78602 and may be viewed online at <http://www.scsengineers.com/State>. Further information may also be obtained from Lealco, Inc. at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Chris Ruane, Region Engineering Manager at (832) 442-2204.

Persons with disabilities who need special accommodations at the meeting should call the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300 or 1-800-RELAY-TX (TDD) at least one week prior to the meeting.

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