TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



NOTICE OF HEARING TEX-MIX PARTNERS, LTD. SOAH Docket No. 582-19-5584 TCEQ Docket No. 2019-0440-AIR Proposed Registration No. 152399

APPLICATION.

Tex-Mix Partners, Ltd., has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for an Air Quality Standard Permit, Registration No. 152399, which would authorize construction of a permanent concrete batch plant located on the east side of U.S. Highway 281 approximately 0.5 mile south of its intersection with Rebecca Creek Road, Spring Branch, Comal County, Texas 78070. This application is being processed in an expedited manner, as allowed by the commission's rules in 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Chapter 101, Subchapter J. As a public courtesy, we have provided the following Web page to an online map of the site or the facility's general location. The online map is not part of the application or the notice:

kwww.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.html?lat=29.915476&lng=-98.408588&zoom=13&type=r. For the exact location, refer to the application. The proposed facility will emit the following air contaminants: particulate matter including (but not limited to) aggregate, cement, road dust, and particulate matter with diameters of 10 microns or less and 2.5 microns or less. This application was submitted to the TCEQ on June 20, 2018.

The TCEQ Executive Director has determined that the application meets all of the requirements of a standard permit authorized by 30 TAC § 116.611, which would establish the conditions under which the plant must operate. The Executive Director has made a preliminary decision to issue the registration because it meets all applicable rules. The application, executive director's preliminary decision, and standard permit are available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ central office, the TCEQ San Antonio regional office, and the Bulverde Spring Branch Library, 131 Bulverde Crossing, Bulverde, Comal County, Texas. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review at the TCEQ San Antonio Regional Office, 14250 Judson Road, San Antonio, Texas. Visit www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cbp to review the standard permit.

CONTESTED CASE HEARING.

The State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) will conduct a formal contested case hearing at:

10:00 a.m. – September 4, 2019 Historic Courthouse 2nd Floor Courtroom 100 Main Plaza New Braunfels, Texas 78130 The contested case hearing will be a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. The hearing will address the disputed issues of fact identified in the TCEQ order concerning this application issued on May 23, 2019. In addition to these issues, the judge may consider additional issues if certain factors are met.

The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Chapter 2001, Texas Government Code; Chapter 382, Texas Health and Safety Code; TCEQ rules including 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Chapter 116, Subchapters A and B; and the procedural rules of the TCEQ and SOAH, including 30 TAC Chapter 80 and 1 TAC Chapter 155. The hearing will be held unless all timely hearing requests have been withdrawn or denied.

To request to be a party, you must attend the hearing and show you would be affected by the application in a way not common to the general public. Any person may attend the hearing and request to be a party. Only persons named as parties may participate at the hearing.

MAILING LIST.

You may ask to be placed on a mailing list to obtain additional information on this application by sending a request to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

AGENCY CONTACTS AND INFORMATION.

Public comments and requests must be submitted either electronically at www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/decisions/cc/comments.html, or in writing to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. If you communicate with the TCEQ electronically, please be aware that your email address, like your physical mailing address, will become part of the agency's public record. For more information about this permit application, the permitting process, or the contested case hearing process, please call the Public Education Program toll free at 800-687-4040. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ may be obtained electronically at www.tceq.texas.gov.

In accordance with 1 Tex. Admin. Code § 155.401(a), Notice of Hearing, "Parties that are not represented by an attorney may obtain information regarding contested case hearings on the public website of the State Office of Administrative Hearings at www.soah.texas.gov, or in printed format upon request to SOAH."

INFORMATION.

If you need more information about the hearing process for this application, please call the Public Education Program, toll free, at 800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at www.tceq.texas.gov.

Persons with disabilities who need special accommodations at the hearing should call the SOAH Docketing Department at 512-475-3445, at least one week prior to the hearing.

Further information may also be obtained from Tex-Mix Partners, Ltd., P.O. Box 830, Leander, Texas 78646-0830 or by calling Mrs. Melissa Fitts, Vice-President, Westward Environmental, Inc. at 830-249-8284.

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