Texas Commission on Environmental Quality



Notice of Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation Application General Permit Authorization No. TXG920489

Application. Hilltop Dairy, LLC, 690 County Road 45, Earth, Texas 79031 has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) under General Permit No. TXG920000 for a non-substantial change to the terms of the nutrient management plan (NMP) previously submitted to the TCEQ. The Applicant is proposing to remove field split from land management unit (LMU) LMU 3 on the LMU map to form a full pivot (120 acres), reconfigure LMU 2 (corners of LMU 1) to decrease the acreage from 23 to 10 acres and incorporate pens, manure, compost storage, and mortality management areas. Another change is the revision to the design calculations for retention control structure (RCS) #4 to increase the RCS drainage area. The total land application area has decreased from 233 to 220 acres. The notice of change application and the updated NMP were received by TCEQ on November 30, 2017.

No discharge of pollutants into the waters in the state is authorized by this general permit except under chronic or catastrophic rainfall conditions or events. All waste and wastewater will be beneficially used on agricultural land.

The facility is located at 690 County Road 45, Earth, Lamb County, Texas. The facility is located in the drainage area of the Double Mountain Fork Brazos River in Segment No. 1241 of the Brazos River Basin. 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=34.228888&lng=-102.59861&zoom=13&type=r. For the exact location, refer to the application.

The Executive Director of the TCEQ has approved the proposed non-substantial change to the terms of the NMP. The revised terms of the NMP have been included in the permit record and it is available at the TCEQ's Central Records, 12100 Park 35 Circle Austin, Texas 78753.

Information. For additional information about this application, contact Joy Alabi at (512) 239-1318. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.texas.gov/.

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