

## Attachment 2

### Tier 1 Applicant:

- Describe your past and current environmental performance with respect to each covered facility or activity included in this application. Within this attachment establish a baseline date against future progress can be measured.

Veolia ES Technical Solutions (Veolia) is a treatment and storage facility that is fully permitted by USEPA and WDNR that services primarily the upper midwestern region. Veolia is committed to improving the environment through the services that we offer and to providing our services in a manner that is protective of human health and the environment. Our facility is operated to minimize the volume and toxicity of waste generated by us as well as others. In addition, internal recycling programs are incorporated into our processes whenever possible.

As a facility we are always looking for new options for disposal and recycling of the different types of waste we receive. One such option is our facility depack process that began in 1999. In this process, waste labpacks, that were traditionally sent offsite for incineration, are now bulked and if possible sent for other treatment options such as fuel blending or wastewater treatment.

The stabilization treatment process, which has been in operation since 1991, reduces the toxicity of wastes generated by customers. The wastes treated by stabilization become de-characterized and exit the RCRA system.

Veolia also stabilizes non-RCRA hazardous liquid wastes that are not amenable to waste water treatment. This process utilizes cement kiln dust and other wastes for beneficial purposes by incorporating them into the process.

Veolia reuses metal and plastic drum for onsite bulking activities whenever possible to get a second beneficial use prior to the containers being sent for recycling or disposal. In addition, all pallets not used onsite are sent offsite to a recycling company.

Veolia also operates a household hazardous waste redistribution center. Unused materials that are brought to our permanent household hazardous waste collection facility that are in good condition are redistributed to citizens who have a use for them and complete a waiver form.

- Describe your future plans for enhancing the environment with respect to the same facilities/activities.

Going forward, Veolia will continue to review its operations to identify other areas that waste generation may be minimized. This includes continually searching for beneficial reuses and recycling options for our customers' waste. One specific area of focus in the short term will be to increase the volume of containers, both plastic and metal, that we are able to send for recycling. In addition by implementing an Environmental Management System (EMS), we will continue to systematically seek out alternative treatment methods and recycling options that will have the best environmental as well as economic impact for all involved.