

BEFORE THE STATE OF WISCONSIN
NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF A PROPOSED CLASS 2 MODIFICATION TO THE LONG-TERM CARE PLAN
FOR THE OMEGA HILLS LANDFILL IN GERMANTOWN WISCONSIN
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to section NR 665.0118 (6), Wisconsin Administrative Code, that the Department of Natural Resources (department), on March 4, 2016 received a proposed modification to the long-term care plan for the Omega Hills Landfill at W124 N9355 Boundary Road, in Germantown, Washington County, Wisconsin. The Omega Hills Landfill is owned by Waste Management of Wisconsin, Inc. (WMWI) and is a closed landfill regulated under the provisions of ch. NR 665, Wis. Adm. Code for interim status as a hazardous waste landfill.

The proposed long-term care modification includes the following:

1. Removal of condition 23 from the department's September 29, 1989 conditional closure and long-term care plan approval to change the long-term care period specified in condition D of the April 3, 1989 stipulation and judgment between the department and WMWI. The proposed modification would remove the requirement to comply with leachate head maintenance levels established in the stipulation in recognition that 25 years of continuous leachate pumping has not been able to attain the projected leachate head maintenance levels.
2. Establishment of performance metrics for ongoing control and maintenance of the groundwater containment and remediation systems, groundwater quality, the landfill gas extraction system, the final cover system and the leachate extraction system.
3. Consolidation of requirements contained in past approvals and updating the September 29, 1989 closure and long-term care approval to cover all relevant past requirements into one long-term care approval. This includes environmental monitoring requirements, reporting requirements, inspection and maintenance requirements and owner financial assurance for a period of at least 30 years.

Pursuant to s. NR 665.0118 (6), Wis. Adm. Code, written comments by any person concerning the proposed long-term care plan modification are invited. All written comments shall be submitted within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice (by June 9, 2016) to:

Rob Grosch, DNR Waukesha Service center, 141 NW Barstow Street, Rm 180, Waukesha, WI 53188
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A public hearing concerning the proposed modification may be requested in writing. The request shall indicate the interests of the person(s) who file the request and state the reasons why the hearing is requested. The hearing shall be conducted as an informational hearing utilizing the procedures in section 227.18, Wis. Stats. All hearing requests shall be filed with the Department within 30 days after the publication date of this notice, either by delivery to the Office of the Secretary of the Department at 101 South Webster Street, Madison, WI 53703 or by certified mail addressed to the Secretary, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707.

Copies of the proposed long-term care plan modification are available for public review at the following locations:

Contact: Michael Zillmer at
DNR Milwaukee Service Center
2300 N. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive
Milwaukee, WI 53212

Contact Rob Grosch at
DNR Waukesha Service Center
141 N.W. Barstow Street, Room 180

Waukesha, WI 53188

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 6th day of May, 2016

STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
For the Secretary

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Cynthia Moore
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