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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

December 16, 2016

Mr. William Killian
President
K2 Waste Solutions, LLC
10185 FM 1960
Dayton, Texas 77535

Re: Declaration of Administrative Completeness
K2 Waste Solutions, LLC - Waste Transfer Station
Dayton, Liberty County, Texas
Proposed Municipal Solid Waste Permit Number: 2394
CN604942383/RN109452870
Notice of Receipt of Application for a Type V Transfer Station Permit

Dear Mr. Killian:

The Executive Director has declared the above referenced application, received on October 17, 2016, administratively complete on December 16, 2016.

You are now required to publish notice of your proposed activity and make a copy of the application available for public review. The following items are included to help you meet the regulatory requirements associated with this notice:

- o Instructions for Public Notice
- o Notice for Newspaper Publication
- o Public Notice Verification Form
- o Publisher's Affidavits

You must follow all the directions in the enclosed instructions. The most common mistakes are the unauthorized changing of notice, wording, or font. If you fail to follow these instructions, you may be required to republish the notices.

The following requirements are also described in the enclosed instructions. However, due to their importance, they are highlighted here as well.

1. Publish the enclosed notice within **30 calendar days** after your application is declared administratively complete. (See this letter's first paragraph for the declaration date.) **You may be required to publish the notice in more than one newspaper, including a newspaper published in an alternative language, to satisfy all of the notice requirements.**

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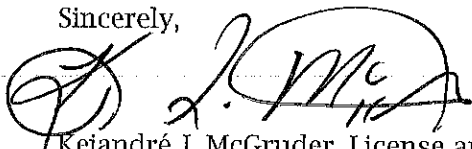
Re: Proposed Municipal Solid Waste Permit Number: 2394

2. On or before the date you publish notice, place a copy of your permit application in a public place in the county where the facility is or will be located. This copy must be accessible to the public for review and copying, must be updated to reflect changes to the application, and must remain in place throughout the comment period.
3. For each publication, return proof of publication of the newspaper notice that shows the publication date and newspaper name to the Office of the Chief Clerk within **10 business days** after notice is published in the newspaper.
4. Return the original enclosed Public Notice Verification and the Publisher's Affidavits to the Office of the Chief Clerk within **30 calendar days** after the notice is published in the newspaper.

If you do not comply with **all** the requirements described in the instructions, further processing of your application may be suspended or the agency may take other actions.

If you have any questions regarding publication requirements, please contact the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300. If you have any questions regarding the content of the notice, please contact the individual in the permitting area assigned to your application.

Sincerely,



Keiandr  J. McGruder, License and Permit Specialist
Business & Program Services Section
Waste Permits Division
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Bob Staehs, P.E., Everett Griffith, Jr. & Associates, Inc. - Lufkin

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NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND INTENT TO OBTAIN A NEW MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE PERMIT

PROPOSED PERMIT NO. 2394

APPLICATION. K2 Waste Solutions, LLC, 10185 FM 1960, Dayton, Liberty County, Texas 77535, operator of a proposed Type V Municipal Solid Waste Transfer Station, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a permit authorizing the acceptance of municipal household and commercial solid wastes and construction debris to transported from the proposed site in collection trucks for final disposal in a permitted landfill. The K2 Waste Solutions – Waste Transfer Station is located at 10177 FM 1960 South, Dayton, Liberty County, Texas 77535. The TCEQ received this application on October 17, 2016. The permit application is available for viewing and copying at the Jones Library, 801 S. Cleveland Street, Suite A, Dayton, Liberty County, Texas 77535, and may be viewed online at <http://www.LTsgarbage.com/>. 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=30.045342&lng=-95.035528&zoom=13&type=r>. For exact location, refer to application.

ADDITIONAL NOTICE. TCEQ's Executive Director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application. After technical review of the application is complete, the Executive Director may prepare a draft permit and will issue a preliminary decision on the application. **Notice of the Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the county-wide mailing list and to those who are on the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the deadline for submitting public comments.**

PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting on this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING. After the deadline for submitting public comments, the Executive Director will consider all timely comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments.

Unless the application is directly referred for a contested case hearing, the response to comments, and the Executive Director's decision on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments and to those persons who are on the mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision and for requesting a contested case hearing. A person who may be affected by the facility is entitled to request a contested case hearing from the commission. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court.

TO REQUEST A CONTESTED CASE HEARING, YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN YOUR REQUEST: your name, address, phone number; applicant's name and permit number; the location and distance of your property/activities relative to the facility; a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the facility in a way not common to the general public; a list of all disputed issues of fact that you submit during the comment period, and the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing." If the request for contested case hearing is filed on behalf of a group or association, the request must designate the group's representative for receiving future correspondence; identify by name and physical address an individual member of the group who would be adversely affected by the facility or activity; provide the information discussed above regarding the affected member's location and distance from the facility or activity; explain how and why the member would be affected; and explain how the interests the group seeks to protect are relevant to the group's purpose.

Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the Executive Director will forward the application and any requests for reconsideration or for a contested case hearing to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. The Commission may only grant a request for a contested case hearing on issues the requestor submitted in their timely comments that were not subsequently withdrawn.

If a hearing is granted, the subject of a hearing will be limited to disputed issues of fact or mixed questions of fact and law that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application submitted during the comment period.

MAILING LIST. If you submit public comments, a request for a contested case hearing or a reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision, you will be added to the mailing list for this application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and/or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. To be placed on the permanent and/or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s) and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

AGENCY CONTACTS AND INFORMATION. All public comments and requests must be submitted either electronically at www.tceq.texas.gov/about/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 choose to 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 or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ's Public Education Program, Toll Free, at 800-687-4040. Si desea información en español, puede llamar al 800-687-4040.

Further information may also be obtained from K2 Waste Solutions, LLC at the address stated above or by calling Mr. William Killian, President at (361)945-1485.

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