

**ATTN: MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE SANITARY LANDFILL PERMIT HOLDERS
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**THIS IS AN OFFICIAL REQUEST FROM THE IOWA DEPARTMENT OF
NATURAL RESOURCES THAT YOU POST THIS NOTICE IN YOUR BUILDING IN
A LOCATION CONSPICUOUS TO MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC.**

PUBLIC NOTICE REGARDING THE REISSUANCE OR POSTPERMIT MODIFICATION OF A MUNICIPAL
SOLID WASTE SANITARY LANDFILL PERMIT

Public Notice Number: 52-SDP-01-72-7

Public Notice Issuance Date: 5/14/2022

Last Day to Submit Comments: 6/12/2022

Name and Address of Applicant:

City of Iowa City

Owner Name

Ron Knoche, Director of Public Works

Address

410 East Washington Street

City, State, Zip

Iowa City, Iowa 52240

Name and Location of Facility:

Landfill Name

Iowa City Landfill and Recycling Center

Address

3900 Hebl Avenue SW

City, State, Zip

Iowa City, Iowa 52240

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF FACILITY

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has received a postpermit modification request from the City of Iowa City (Permittee) for the Iowa City Landfill and Recycling Center (Facility), a municipal solid waste sanitary landfill originally permitted by the Department in 1972. The Facility is classified as a municipal solid waste sanitary landfill authorized to accept municipal solid waste from households and businesses from the following service area: All cities and the unincorporated areas in Johnson County and the cities of Kalona and Riverside in Washington County.

Iowa Department of Natural Resources staff contact:

Mick Leat

Iowa Department of Natural Resources

Land Quality Bureau

502 East 9th Street, Des Moines, IA 50319-0034

Phone: 515-689-6548

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NOTICE

The DNR has received a postpermit modification request from the Permittee to authorize expansion of the landfill with the construction of the Cell FY23. The liner for the 11 acre cell will consist of an HDPE membrane overlying 2 feet of compacted clay.

After review of the application materials, the DNR has made a preliminary determination to approve the post permit modification request. Once processed, copies of the DNR's final determination may be reviewed at the DNR's Regional Field Office located at 1023 West Madison, Washington, IA 52353 at phone number (319) 653-2135. The file with regard to the Facility is available for inspection between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at the DNR's Records Center at 502 E. 9th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0034. The DNR Records Center will make copies from the file upon request. There is a charge for copy orders. To arrange a time to review the file or to request information regarding charges for copies contact the DNR Records Center at (515) 725-8480.

The procedures that the DNR will follow with regard to this permit application or postpermit modification request are set forth in Iowa Administrative Code 567 Chapter 113. A copy of this rule chapter is available on <https://www.legis.iowa.gov/law/administrativeRules> and by requests directed to the DNR. The DNR strongly recommends that interested persons review the chapter.

COMMENTS SOLICITED

By this Notice, interested persons are invited to submit written and signed comments to the DNR regarding this notice. To ensure consideration, comments must be received by the last day to submit comments identified above, and should include the following:

- A. A statement of the person's interest in the DNR's determination;
- B. A statement of the action the person wishes the DNR to take, including specific references to sections of the request that the person believes should be changed; and
- C. The reasons supporting the person's position, stated with sufficient specificity as to allow the DNR to investigate the merits of the person's positions.

Any submissions should display the public notice number next to the address on the envelope and on each page of any submitted comments, and include a return mailing address and telephone number. The DNR will consider all comments received during the comment period and may modify the determination based on those comments. Comments received by the DNR in response to this notice will be made part of the public record with regard to this permit.

The responsiveness summary to public comments received will be mailed to each commenter at the address on their comment submittal, and may also be viewed at the DNR's Records

Center at 502 E. 9th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0034. The public record files for facilities will be available for inspection at the Records Center between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. The DNR Records Center will make copies from the file upon request. There is a charge for copy orders. The public is directed to contact the DNR Records Center at (515) 242-5818 to arrange a time to review the file or to request information regarding charges for copies.

REQUESTS FOR PUBLIC HEARING

The applicant, any interested agency, person or group of persons may request or petition for a public hearing with respect to the DNR's determination to approve or deny an application or postpermit modification request. Any such request shall clearly state issues and topics to be addressed at the hearing. Any such request or petition for public hearing must be filed with the DNR within 30 days following the date of the public notice and shall indicate the interest of the party filing such request and the reasons why a hearing is warranted. The DNR shall hold an informal and noncontested case hearing if there is a significant public interest (including the filing of requests or petitions for such hearing) in holding such a hearing. Frivolous or insubstantial requests for hearing may be denied by the DNR.

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The Iowa Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has made a preliminary determination to approve a post permit modification request for the Iowa City Landfill and Recycling Center. This approval will allow construction of Cell FY23. The request is from the City of Iowa City for the Iowa City Landfill and Recycling Center located at 3900 Hebl Avenue SW, Iowa City, Iowa 52240, and which is authorized to accept municipal solid waste from households and businesses from the following service area: All cities and the unincorporated areas in Johnson County and the cities of Kalona and Riverside in Washington County.

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A copy of the full notice, with instructions for submitting written comments or to request a public hearing, is available for review on the DNR's Web site at <http://www.iowadnr.gov/InsideDNR/RegulatoryLand/SolidWaste/SolidWastePublicNotices.aspx> and will be mailed to an interested person upon request to the DNR staff contact.