

PUBLIC HEARING STATEMENT

Application for Permit Renewal
Arrowhead Landfill
Permit 53-03

January 27, 2022

Good evening, my name is Devin Jenkins, and on behalf of the Alabama Department of Environmental Management, we thank you for your participation in the permitting process for the Arrowhead Landfill, Permit No. 53-03.

Perry County Associates, LLC submitted to the Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM) an application to renew the solid waste disposal permit for the municipal solid waste landfill known as the Arrowhead Landfill. The Arrowhead Landfill is located in Sections 21, 22, 27, and 28, Township 17 North, Range 6 East in Perry County, Alabama. The permitted facility consists of 973.85 acres with 425.33 acres permitted for disposal operations. The waste stream for the Arrowhead Landfill would remain nonhazardous solid wastes, noninfectious putrescible and nonputrescible wastes including but not limited to household garbage, commercial waste, industrial waste, construction and demolition debris, other similar type materials, and special waste approved by ADEM. The service area for the Arrowhead Landfill would remain the States of Alabama, Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, and Wisconsin. The maximum average daily volume of waste disposed at the Arrowhead Landfill would remain 15,000 tons per day. The application

requested that all conditions of the current permit for the Arrowhead Landfill, including previously approved variances and special conditions, be granted in the renewed permit.

Based on our review of the permit application, the Department has made a preliminary determination that the proposed permit renewal would be in compliance with the applicable State and federal solid waste disposal requirements and thus, protective of public health and the environment. The proposed permit includes the following conditions:

1. Upon renewal, the permit would be valid for a 10 year period.
2. The Permittee would maintain a composite liner as described in the permit and permit application including the leachate collection system.
3. The Permittee would conduct groundwater monitoring semiannually.
4. The Permittee would conduct explosive gas monitoring quarterly.
5. The Permittee would maintain the integrity of the final cover system throughout the life of the permit and post-closure period.
6. The Permittee would, at all times, properly operate and maintain the facility and all systems in accordance with the application and the permit.
7. The Permittee would obtain the approval of ADEM for any change or modification to the facility or a system which might otherwise result in noncompliance with the permit or ADEM's Administrative Code.

The purpose of tonight's hearing is to provide an opportunity to receive public comment regarding the application and proposed permit. The Department welcomes your input to this process and will consider all technical comments prior to making a final decision concerning the

issuance of this permit and will develop a response to comments, which will become part of the public record and be posted to the Department's eFile System.

Thank you again for participating in the hearing.