

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency

Public Notice of
a Public Meeting
for
Tough Cut Concrete Services, Inc. in Richton Park

The Illinois EPA is holding a Public Meeting to answer questions from the public concerning a proposal from Tough Cut Concrete Services, Inc. to construct a recycled pavement crushing facility at I-57 & Sauk Trail in Richton Park. **The meeting will be held on Monday, November 21, 2011, at 6:00 pm in the Richton Park Board Room, 4455 Sauk Trail in Richton Park.** Representatives from Illinois EPA and the company will be available to answer questions from the public about the project and the Illinois EPA review.

Tough Cut Concrete Services, Inc. has applied to the Illinois EPA's Bureau of Air for a joint construction and operating permit to construct and operate a crushing facility on the site of the current Sexton clean construction and demolition debris landfill at I-57 & Sauk Trail in Richton Park. The crushing facility would accept clean recycled concrete and asphalt from offsite for crushing, screening and processing.

Prior to constructing the facility, Toughcut Concrete Service, Inc. must obtain a construction permit from the Illinois EPA's Bureau of Air (BOA). Although Tough Cut has requested a joint construction and operating permit, the Illinois EPA has prepared a draft construction permit issuance/operating permit denial for public review. Tough Cut will be required to perform testing before reapplying for an operating permit. Based on its review of the application, the Illinois EPA has made a preliminary determination that this project will comply with the applicable BOA environmental regulations.

The Illinois EPA will accept written comments on the application and draft permit. Comments must be submitted by December 1, 2011 and sent to: Brad Frost, Community Relations, Illinois EPA, 1021 N. Grand Ave. E., P.O. Box 19506, Springfield, IL 62794-9506, (phone 217/782-7027 or TDD 217/782-9143), brad.frost@illinois.gov

The draft permit and application are available for review at the Richton Park Public Library, 4045 Sauk Trail in Richton Park or at the Illinois EPA's offices at 9511 West Harrison in Des Plaines, 847/294-4000 and 1340 N. Ninth St., Springfield, 217/782-7027 (for either Illinois EPA location please call ahead to assure that someone will be available to assist you). The documents are also available on the Illinois EPA website at <http://www.epa.state.il.us/public-notices/>

For information about the application or draft permit, please contact Brad Frost at the address or phone number listed above.