NPDES Permit No. IL0071820 Notice No. MEL:13031501.bah

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National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)
Permit Program

Draft Reissued NPDES Permit to Discharge into Waters of the State

Public Notice/Fact Sheet Issued By:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Bureau of Water Division of Water Pollution Control Permit Section 1021 North Grand Avenue East Post Office Box 19276 Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276 217/782-0610

Name and Address of Permittee:

Name and Address of Facility:

Heartland Recycling – Aurora CCDD, LLC 6201 W. Canal Bank Road Forest View. Illinois 60402

Heartland Recycling – Aurora CCDD, LLC Route 25 and Mettel Road Aurora, Illinois 60505 (Kane County)

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) has made a tentative determination to issue a NPDES permit to discharge into the waters of the state and has prepared a draft permit and associated fact sheet for the above named Permittee. The Public Notice period will begin and end on the dates indicated in the heading of this Public Notice/Fact Sheet. The last day comments will be received will be on the Public Notice period ending date unless a commentor demonstrating the need for additional time requests an extension to this comment period and the request is granted by the IEPA. Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the draft permit to the IEPA at the above address. Commentors shall provide his or her name and address and the nature of the issues proposed to be raised and the evidence proposed to be presented with regards to those issues. Commentors may include a request for public hearing. Persons submitting comments and/or requests for public hearing shall also send a copy of such comments or requests to the permit applicant. The NPDES permit and notice number(s) must appear on each comment page.

The application, engineer's review notes including load limit calculations, Public Notice/Fact Sheet, draft permit, comments received, and other documents are available for inspection and may be copied at the IEPA between 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday when scheduled by the interested person.

If written comments or requests indicate a significant degree of public interest in the draft permit, the permitting authority may, at its discretion, hold a public hearing. Public notice will be given 45 days before any public hearing. Response to comments will be provided when the final permit is issued. For further information, please call Mark E. Liska at 217/782-0610.

The applicant is engaged in the operation of a clean construction and demolition debris (CCDD) site (SIC 4953). Plant operation results in an average discharge of 0.252 MGD of stormwater runoff and groundwater seepage from outfall 001.

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Application is made for the existing discharge(s) which is located in Kane County, Illinois. The following information identifies the discharge point, receiving stream and stream classifications:

<u>Outfall</u>	Receiving Stream	<u>Latitude</u>	Longitude	Stream Classification	Integrity <u>Rating</u>
001	Unnamed tributary to Fox River	41° 47′ 49″ North	88° 19′ 5″ West	General Use	Not Rated

To assist you further in identifying the location of the discharge please see the attached map.

The stream segment unlisted receiving the discharge from outfall(s) is not on the 2012 303(d) list of impaired waters and is not a biologically significant stream on the 2008 Illinois Department of Natural Resources Publication – *Integrating Multiple Taxa in a Biological Stream Rating System*.

The discharge(s) from the facility shall be monitored and limited at all times as follows:

Outfall: 001

	LOAD LIMI	TS lbs/day		CONCEN	TRATION	
	DAF (DMF)			<u>LIMIT</u> :	<u> 3 mg/L</u>	
	30 DAY	DAILY		30 DAY	DAILY	
PARAMETER	AVERAGE	MAXIMUM	REGULATION	AVERAGE	MAXIMUM	REGULATION
Flow						35 IAC 309.146
рН				6.0-9.0		35 IAC 304.125
Total Suspended Solids	25	50	35 IAC 304.120(c)	12	24	35 IAC 304.120(c)

Load Limit Calculations:

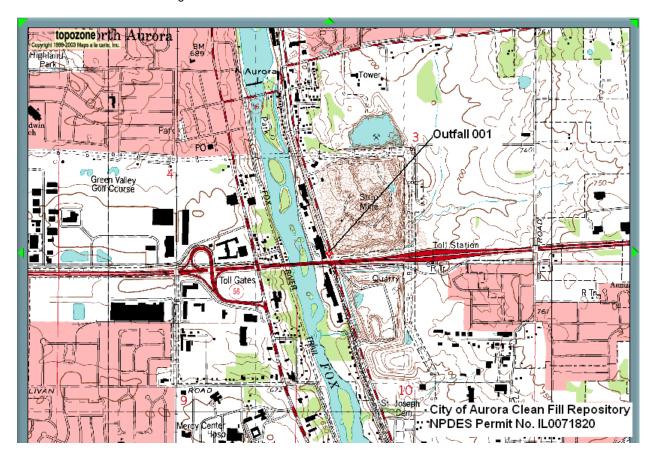
A. Load limit calculations for the following pollutant parameters were based on a maximum flow of 0.252 and using the formula of average or maximum flow (MGD) X concentration limit (mg/l) X 8.34 = the average or maximum load limit (lbs/day):

The following sample calculation shows the methodology utilized to determine production based load limitations:

 $0.252 \times 8.34 \times 12 = 25$ lb/day monthly average for Total Suspended Solids

The following explain the conditions of the proposed permit:

Special Conditions will require monthly monitoring and explain BAT/BCT stormwater requirements.



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NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM

Reissued (NPDES) Permit

Expiration Date: Issue Date: Effective Date:

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Discharge Number and Name: Receiving Waters:

001 – Stormwater Runoff and Groundwater Seepage Unnamed tributary to Fox River

In compliance with the provisions of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, Title 35 of Ill. Adm. Code, Subtitle C and/or Subtitle D, Chapter 1, and the Clean Water Act (CWA), the above-named permittee is hereby authorized to discharge at the above location to the above-named receiving stream in accordance with the standard conditions and attachments herein.

Permittee is not authorized to discharge after the above expiration date. In order to receive authorization to discharge beyond the expiration date, the permittee shall submit the proper application as required by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) not later than 180 days prior to the expiration date.

Alan Keller, P.E. Manager, Permit Section Division of Water Pollution Control

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Effluent Limitations and Monitoring

1. From the effective date of this permit until the expiration date, the effluent of the following discharge(s) shall be monitored and limited at all times as follows:

Outfall 001: Stormwater Runoff and Groundwater Seepage (DAF = 0.252 MGD) CONCENTRATION LOAD LIMITS lbs/day DAF (DMF) LIMITS mg/L 30 DAY **DAILY** 30 DAY DAILY SAMPLE SAMPLE **AVERAGE** MAXIMUM **AVERAGE** MAXIMUM **FREQUENCY TYPE PARAMETER** Single-Reading Flow See Special Condition 1 Measure When Monitoring рΗ See Special Condition 2 1/Month Grab **Total Suspended Solids** 25 50 12 24 1/Month Composite

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Special Conditions

<u>SPECIAL CONDITION 1</u>. Flow shall be measured in units of Million Gallons per Day (MGD) and reported as a monthly average and a daily maximum on the monthly Discharge Monitoring Report.

<u>SPECIAL CONDITION 2</u>. The pH shall be in the range 6.0 to 9.0. The monthly minimum and monthly maximum values shall be reported on the DMR form.

<u>SPECIAL CONDITION 3</u>. Samples taken in compliance with the effluent monitoring requirements shall be taken at a point representative of the discharge, but prior to entry into the receiving stream.

<u>SPECIAL CONDITION 4</u>. The Permittee shall record monitoring results on Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) Forms using one such form for each outfall each month.

In the event that an outfall does not discharge during a monthly reporting period, the DMR Form shall be submitted with no discharge indicated.

The Permittee may choose to submit electronic DMRs (eDMRs) instead of mailing paper DMRs to the IEPA. More information, including registration information for the eDMR program, can be obtained on the IEPA website, http://www.epa.state.il.us/water/edmr/index.html.

The completed Discharge Monitoring Report forms shall be submitted to IEPA no later than the 15th day of the following month, unless otherwise specified by the permitting authority.

Permittees not using eDMRs shall mail Discharge Monitoring Reports with an original signature to the IEPA at the following address:

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Attention: Compliance Assurance Section, Mail Code # 19

<u>SPECIAL CONDITION 5</u>. If an applicable effluent standard or limitation is promulgated under Sections 301(b)(2)(C) and (D), 304(b)(2), and 307(a)(2) of the Clean Water Act and that effluent standard or limitation is more stringent than any effluent limitation in the permit or controls a pollutant not limited in the NPDES Permit, the Agency shall revise or modify the permit in accordance with the more stringent standard or prohibition and shall so notify the permittee.

SPECIAL CONDITION 6. The Agency has determined that the effluent limitations in this permit constitute BAT/BCT for storm water which is treated in the existing treatment facilities for purposes of this permit reissuance, and no pollution prevention plan will be required for such storm water. In addition to the chemical specific monitoring required elsewhere in this permit, the permittee shall conduct an annual inspection of the facility site to identify areas contributing to a storm water discharge associated with industrial activity, and determine whether any facility modifications have occurred which result in previously-treated storm water discharges no longer receiving treatment. If any such discharges are identified the permittee shall request a modification of this permit within 30 days after the inspection. Records of the annual inspection shall be retained by the permittee for the term of this permit and be made available to the Agency on request.