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Washington County Notices

AIR QUALITY

63-00565, Washington Penn Plastics Co., 480 Johnson Road, Washington, PA 15301, South Strabane Township, **Washington County**. Application received: July 31, 2023. In accordance with 25 Pa. Code §§ 127.424 and 127.425 the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) gives notice that they intend to issue a State Only Operating Permit (SOOP) renewal to Washington Penn Plastics/Arden Division to authorize the production of custom polyolefin compounds. The facility is located in South Strabane, Washington County. The operation process at this facility include ten extrusion lines, blenders, mixers, silos, an emergency generator, and several dust collectors to control emissions. The facility has the potential to emit 47.91 tpy PM₁₀ and less than 1 ton per year of NO_x, VOC, CO, and SO_x. The proposed SOOP contains emission restriction, testing, monitoring, recordkeeping, reporting and work practice standards derived from the applicable requirements of 25 Pa. Code Article III, Chapters 121—145, 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart ZZZZ—National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Stationary Reciprocating Internal Combustion Engines. A person may oppose the proposed State Only Operating Permit by filing a written protest with the Department through Noor Nahar via mail to Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, 400 Waterfront Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15222. Each protest or set of written comments must contain the name, address and telephone number of the person submitting the comments, identification of the proposed State Only Operating Permit (63-00565) and a concise statement of the objections to the Operating Permit issuance and the relevant facts upon which the objections are based. The

application, DEP's Review Memorandum, and the proposed permit are available for public review during normal business hours at DEP's Southwest Regional Office, 400 Waterfront Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15222. A file review can be scheduled through the DEP's website at <https://www.dep.pa.gov/Citizens/PublicRecords/Pages/Informal-File-Review.aspx> or by contacting Tom Joseph, Facilities Permitting Chief, directly. All comments must be received prior to the close of business 30 days after the date of this publication.

63-00621: Accutrex Products, Inc., 112 Southpointe Blvd, Canonsburg, PA 15317, Cecil Township, **Washington County**. The Department issued a renewal natural minor State Only Operating Permit for operation of the Accutrex Products, Inc. Cecil Plant in Cecil Township, Washington County. Emission sources at this facility include a spray paint booth, two powder coating booths, two drying ovens, a Super Koropon Primer spray booth, a Shim Stock surface coating line, a sandblasting unit with a baghouse that exhausts indoors, and an emergency generator. The facility currently has permit conditions restricting potential emissions to 45.0 tons per year (tpy) of VOC, 9.0 tpy of a single HAP, and 22.0 tpy of total HAPs. The facility is subject to the applicable requirements of Pa. Code Title 25, Article III, Chapters 121—145. The emergency generator is subject to 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart ZZZZ, National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Stationary Reciprocating Internal Combustion Engines. The final Operating Permit contains applicable emission limits, work practice standards, and monitoring, reporting, and recordkeeping requirements for the facility. Application received: March 27, 2023. Issued: January 12, 2024.

EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL

ESCGP # 3 **ESG076323012-00**

Applicant Name **EQM Gathering OPCO LLC—
NIPIH202 Waterline**

Contact Person Dustin Howarth, (412) 997-8524
dhowarth@equitransmidstream.com

Address 0.3 North of Rocky Run Rd and Newland School Rd

City, State, Zip West Finley, PA 15377

Township(s) East Finley Township

County **Washington County**

Receiving Stream(s) and Classification(s) 001. Lat 40.00702, Long -80.39721, Long Run, Ch 93
Class WWF

Application received: September 6, 2023

Issued: January 19, 2024

Greene County Notices

AIR QUALITY

GP5-30-00225D/AG5-30-00002C: EQM Gathering Opco, LLC, 389 Hill School House Road, Waynesburg, PA 15370, Franklin Township, Greene County. Authorization issued on January 17, 2024, for the continued use of their existing sources which include: Two (2) dehydration units rated at 150 MMscfd with associated 2.67 MMBtu/hr reboilers controlled by two (2) thermal oxidizers rated at 0.012 MMBtu/hr, each. Two (2) Flash Tanks rated 12.0 MMBtu/hr, 500 gallon capacity. Two (2) produced water tanks, 16,800 gallons (400 bbl) capacity each, Two (2) produced water tanks, 1,000 gallons capacity each, and twenty-five (25) miscellaneous storage tanks. Three (3) pig launchers and one (1) pig receiver. Facility fugitives, pneumatic controllers, and venting blow downs. Application received: May 11, 2023. Accepted: May 24, 2023.

Notices from The Observer-Reporter:

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Enlow Fork

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act, the Coal Refuse Disposal Control Act, Bituminous Mine Subsidence and Land Conservation Act, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Rules and Regulations and Clean Streams Law notice hereby is given that The Ohio County Coal Resources, Inc., 46226 National Road, Saint Clairsville, 43950 has made application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection for renewing its existing underground coal mining permit # 63981301 and the related NPDES permit PA0215171. The current permit (# 63981301) was issued on May 27, 1999 and will expire on May 26, 2024. This renewal does not contain revisions to the existing operation.

The receiving stream for the one existing surface facility in Pennsylvania, 1A 8 North Airshaft and Sedimentation Outfall 001, is Enlow Fork. The operation is located in West Finley Township, Washington County and is known as the Ohio County Mine. The permit consists of 6.0 acres of surface area and 497.39 acres of subsurface area and is situated immediately East of the Pennsylvania / West Virginia border in West Finley Township, Washington County, Pennsylvania. The Valley Grove and Majorsville WV-PA U.S. Geological Survey 7.5 minute topographic map contains the area described.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection and copying for a fee, by appointment at the Department of Environmental Protection, California District Office, 25 Technology Drive, Coal Center, PA 15423, Telephone 724-769-1100.

Written comments, objections, or a request for public hearing or informal conference may be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection, California District Office, 25 Technology Drive, Coal Center, PA 15423, within thirty (30) days from the date of the final publication of this Notice and must include the persons name, address, telephone number, and a brief statement as to the nature of his or her objection(s).

1-26,2-9,16,23

PUBLIC NOTICE

Precision Marshall Steel is providing notice that around January 23, 2024 a National Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit Application will be submitted to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (PADEP). The application is a new application for the discharge of industrial stormwater at the Precision Marshall Steel facility located at 99 Berry Road, South Strabane Township, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

This application is made under the provisions of the Clean Streams Law, the Act of June 22, 1937, P.L. 1987, as amended. The application will be available for and copying at the PADEP Southwest Regional Office (SWRO), 400 Waterfront Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15222, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Arrangements for reviewing the application can be made by telephoning the PADEP SWRO at (412) 442-4000. Fees for copying may be charged by the PADEP.

Copies of the application will also be submitted to South Strabane Township and Washington County Commissioners. Persons who wish to comment on this application should contact PADEP at the address noted.

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Bailey Mine

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the Pennsylvania Clean Streams Law, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Rules and Regulations, the Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act, and the Bituminous Mine Subsidence and Land Conservation Act as amended, notice is hereby given that Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company LLC, 275 Technology Drive, Suite 101, Canonsburg, PA 15317, has submitted an application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection to revise Coal Mining Activity Permit No. 30841316 and related NPDES permit for the Bailey Mine.

The proposed revision adds approximately 9.4 acres of surface permit area for the installation of the 12L-3, 12L-4, & 12L-5 Degas Boreholes. The facilities will be located in Aleppo Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania and are located on the New Freeport, PA U.S. Geological Survey 7.5 minute topographic map. The permit area begins off Blacks Creek Road (T-356) approximately 0.2 miles northwest of its intersection with Higbee Road (T-447). It extends 1250 feet northeast and then splits. One portion extends 1470 feet southeast, varying in width between 80 and 240 feet for the 12L-3 Borehole. The other portion extends 425 feet northwest, varying in width between 250 and 400 feet for the 12L-4 Borehole. The 12L-5 Borehole permit boundary is located along the southwest side of Blacks Creek Road, beginning approximately 310 feet south from its intersection with SR 3018 (Behm Road). It continues along the road for 310 feet to the southeast and varies in width between 50 and 150 feet. The proposed permit revision includes construction of three degas boreholes, access roads, soil stockpiles, and erosion and sedimentation control facilities.

The application includes a request for variance to encroach within 100 feet of the right-of-way of Blacks Creek Road (T-356) at two locations. The first begins 0.2 miles northwest of its intersection with Higbee Road (T-447) and continues 210 feet to the northwest, and the second begins 310 feet south of its intersection with SR 3018 (Behm Road) and continues 310 feet to the southeast. The road variances are required for site access and erosion and sedimentation controls for the 12L-3 and 12L-4 borehole facilities and access, the borehole pad, borehole installation, and erosion and sedimentation controls for the 12L-5 borehole.

Stream variance requests are proposed for work within 100 feet of two streams: Blacks Creek (32568) beginning 370 feet south and 175 feet west of the intersection of Blacks Creek Road (T-356) and SR 3018 (Behm Road) and continuing upstream 360 feet southeast; and a 70-foot section of variance for UNT 32568I to Blacks Creek at its culvert under Blacks Creek Road (T-356) located approximately 0.2 miles northwest of the intersection with Higbee Road (T-447) and continuing upstream in a northeasterly direction. The stream variances are required for site access, borehole pad construction, and erosion and sediment control facility installation.

Copies of the application are available for public inspection, and copying for a fee, by appointment at the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, California District Mining Office, 25 Technology Drive, California Technology Park, Coal Center, PA 15423 (telephone number: 724-769-1100).

Written comments, objections, or a request for an informal conference may be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection, District Mining Operations, at the above address, no later than thirty (30) days following the final publication date of this notice.

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Montour #4 Mine - Hahn Treatment Facility

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the Pennsylvania Clean Streams Law, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Rules and Regulations, the Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act, the Coal Refuse Disposal Control Act, and the Bituminous Mine Subsidence and Land Conservation Act as amended, notice is hereby given that Consol Mining Company, LLC, 275 Technology Drive, Suite 101, Canonsburg, PA 15317; has submitted a permit application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection for renewing its existing post mining activity permit and related NPDES permit for the Montour #4 Mine - Hahn Treatment Facility. The permit number for the renewal is 63131302; the permit was issued on April 27, 1984 and expired on April 26, 2019. This site was formerly permitted under Permit Number 63901701. This renewal does not contain revisions to the existing operation. The facility is located in Cecil Township, Washington County, Pennsylvania and is located on the Canonsburg, PA U.S. Geological Survey 7.5 minute topographic map. The existing permit boundary encompasses 46.59 acres and is situated north of McMurray Road along Hahn Road in the town of Canonsburg on the north side of Chartier's Creek

The renewal application includes existing NPDES Outfall 001, which discharges treated water into Chartier's Creek.

Copies of the application are available for public inspection, and copying for a fee, by appointment at the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, California District Mining Office, 25 Technology Drive, California Technology Park, Coal Center, PA 15423 (telephone number: 724-769-1100).

Written comments, objections, or a request for an informal conference may be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection, District Mining Operations, at the above address, no later than thirty (30) days following the final publication date of this notice.

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Tunnel Ridge Mine

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the Pennsylvania Clean Streams Law, The Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Rules and Regulations, the Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act, and the Bituminous Mine Subsidence and Land Conservation Act as amended, notice is hereby given that Tunnel Ridge, LLC, 184 Schoolhouse Lane, Valley Grove, WV 26060, is making application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection to revise Coal Mining Activity Permit (CMAP) No. 63091301 for Tunnel Ridge Mine. The proposed revision includes the addition of 1,520.30 acres to the underground permit area and the underground subsidence control plan area for underground development mining only.

The proposed revision area is in Donegal; West Finley; and East Finley Townships, Washington County, and can be found on portions of the Claysville, PA U.S. Geological Survey 7.5 minute topographic maps as well as mapping provided in the permit application. This area can be described as follows:

The permit and subsidence control plan revision area begins at a point 2,145 FT southeast of the intersection of Waynesburg Road and Memorial Road then 18,220 FT east to a point 1,860 FT southeast of the intersection of Ranch Road and Green Haven Road then 3,665 FT south to a point 1,080 FT east of the intersection of Dogwood Hill Road and Burnsville Ridge Road then 18,070 FT west to a point 2,440 FT southwest of the intersection of Memorial Road and McGuffey Road then 3,640 FT north to the point of origin. All distances and headings are approximate.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection and copying for a fee, by appointment at the Washington County Recorder of Deeds Office, 95 W. Beau Street, Suite 520, Washington, PA 15301. A copy of this application is also available for public inspection at the Department of Environmental Protection, California District Office, District Mining Operations, 25 Technology Park, Coal Center, Pennsylvania 15423. Telephone: (724) 769-1100.

Written comments, objections and requests for a public hearing or informal conference may be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection, California District Office at the above address, within thirty (30) days from the date of the final publication of this Notice and must include the person's name, address, telephone number, and a brief statement as to the nature of his or her objection.

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Maggie Lynn Limestone Quarry

NOTICE

Pursuant to the "Noncoal Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act" and the "Clean Streams Law" notice is hereby given that Neiswonger Construction, Inc., 17592 Route 322, Strattanville, PA 16258 has made application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for a permit to conduct noncoal underground and surface mining activities in Deemston Borough, Washington County. The operation proposed would encompass and replace the applicant's existing surface mine permit. The application includes a request for authorization to discharge under an individual NPDES permit and to conduct blasting activities.

The proposed 359.1 acre Maggie Lynn Underground Mine is located on both sides of SR 2041 (Morey Road) beginning at its intersection with Pump Station Road and extending northward approximately

3,000 feet, on the north side of Pump Station Road beginning at its intersection with SR 2041 and extending toward the southwest approximately 3,000 feet, and on the east side of Tenmile Creek beginning at the Tenmile Creek bridge on Pump Station Road and extending toward the north approximately 4,200 feet as shown on the Ellsworth, PA and the Mather, PA 7.5 minute USGS topographic maps on the properties of John Kosky Contracting Inc. and Clyde Holding, Inc. Within the 359.1-acre permit boundary, surface activities are proposed to be conducted on 110.1 acres, with underground noncoal mining of 256.6 acres. The receiving streams for this proposed permit area are Tenmile Creek (TSF), and unnamed tributaries to Tenmile Creek.

Consistent with previous surface mining at this site, mining activities are proposed with 100 feet of the following stream sections: 1- Tenmile Creek beginning approximately 2,360 feet upstream from the Pump Station Road Bridge on the east side of the stream and extending upstream approximately 1,660 feet. 2- Unnamed tributary D to Tenmile Creek located approximately 540 feet due west of Morey Road, extending approximately 150' long for placement of fill and a haul road stream crossing. 3- Unnamed tributary E South Branch to Tenmile Creek beginning approximately 700 upstream from its confluence with Unnamed Tributary E and extends upstream approximately 370 feet for the construction and maintenance of a haul road. 4- Unnamed tributary E to Tenmile Creek beginning approximately 1,860 upstream from its confluence with Tenmile Creek and extends upstream approximately 400 feet for placement of fill and a haul road stream crossing. 5- Unnamed tributary E to Tenmile Creek beginning approximately 1,400 feet upstream from the stream's confluence with Tenmile Creek and extends upstream approximately 400 feet for the purpose of relocating and reconstruction of the stream.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection at the Washington County Conservation District Office, 50 Old Hickory Ridge Road, Suite 1, Washington, PA 15301. Written comments, objections or requests for an informal conference or public hearing may be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection, New Stanton District Mining Office, 131 Broadview Road, New Stanton, PA 15672 within thirty (30) days from the date of the final (4th) publication of this notice and must include the person's name, address, telephone number and a brief statement as to the nature of the objection(s).
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Obringer Mine

NOTICE

Pursuant to the Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act and the Clean Streams Law notice is hereby given that Neiswonger Construction, Inc., 17592 Route 322, Strattanville, PA 16258, has made application to the PA Department of Environmental Protection to renew existing Surface Mining Permit #63080102 and associated NPDES permit PA0251429. These permits were originally issued on January 30, 2009 and will expire on January 24, 2024. This renewal is for reclamation only and the continued treatment of a polluttional discharge and does not contain revisions to the existing operation.

The 187.8-acre Obringer Mine is located on both sides of SR 2019 (Vanceville Road) between its intersection with Horseshoe Drive to the northwest and its intersection with T-782 (Somerset Road) to the southeast as shown on the Hackett, PA 7.5 minute USGS topographic map on the properties of Wilbert J. & Beverly Obringer, Thomas P. & Ruth K. Clancy & Peggy Stenglein, Kathryn A. Duffill, and other small tracts. The receiving stream for this permit area is Center Branch Pigeon Creek.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection at the Washington County Conservation District Office, 50 Old Hickory Ridge Road, Washington, PA 15301. Written comments, objections, or a

request for an informal conference may be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection, New Stanton District Mining Office, P.O. Box 133, New Stanton, PA 15672 within 30 days from the date of the final (4th) publication of this notice and must include the persons name, address, telephone number and a brief statement as to the nature of the objection(s)

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the PENNSYLVANIA CLEAN STREAMS LAW, the PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION Rules and Regulations, the SURFACE MINING CONSERVATION and RECLAMATION ACT, and the BITUMINOUS MINE SUBSIDENCE and LAND CONSERVATION ACT as amended, notice hereby is given that Washington County Land Resources, Inc., doing business at 46226 National Road, St. Clairsville, OH 43950, has made application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection to renew its existing underground coal mine permit for the High Quality Mine No. 63921301 and the related NPDES permit issued on June 8, 1994 and expires on June 7, 2024. The permit consists of 2,130.0 underground acres and 1718.6 acres in the subsidence control plan area in Fallowfield and Carroll Townships, Washington County. The surface site area encompasses 64.6 acres. The underground permit area is situated approximately 1.5 miles southwest of Hazel Kirk and 2.3 miles west of Charleroi. The main portal site is located along S. R. 481, approximately 3,500 feet west of the village of Ghennes Heights. The mine is located on the Monongahela and California, Pa., U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute topographic maps.

Treated mine water is discharged into two unnamed tributaries to Taylors Run when the mine is operating.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection, and copying for a fee, by appointment at the Department of Environmental Protection, District Mining Operations, 25 Technology Drive, California Technology Park, Coal Center, PA 15423. Written comments, objections, or a request for public hearing or informal conference may be submitted to the Department within 30 days following the date of the 4th and final publication of this notice.

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