

# RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

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Office of Land Revitalization and Sustainable Materials Management

## NOTICE OF INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP AND PUBLIC COMMENT HEARING ON A SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY LICENSE

October 21, 2020

In accordance with 23-18.9-9 of the Rhode Island General Laws, the Department of Environmental Management ("Department") announces its intent to issue a license to New England Waste Services LLC (hereafter "NEWS"), on West Davisville Road in North Kingstown, Rhode Island to operate a Solid Waste Management Facility (Construction and Demolition Debris Transfer Station) that will accept a maximum (2,000) tons per day of Construction and Demolition Debris.

This will be a new facility will be located on land owned by the Quonset Development Corporation (QDC). An informational workshop on this facility will be held on zoom at the link below on November 19th at 4:00 PM. Representatives of the Department will be available to discuss the proposed facility, the type and quantity of wastes to be processed, a summary for the basis of the draft license, proposed conditions to be placed on the license, and a description of the procedures for reaching a final decision on the license application. The discussion of administrative procedures shall also include the beginning and ending period for public comment, the address where comments will be received, information on the public comment hearing, the procedures by which the public may participate in the final decision, and the contact person for further information. The application can be viewed at <a href="http://dem.ri.gov/programs/benviron/waste/pn/pn-news-revapp-0920.pdf">http://dem.ri.gov/programs/benviron/waste/pn/pn-news-revapp-0920.pdf</a>. Additional draft documents may also be reviewed, upon appointment, at the following address:

Department of Environmental Management Office of Land Revitalization and Sustainable Materials Management 235 Promenade Street, Providence, RI 0208. Tel. (401) 222-2797 Attention: Filomena DaSilva.

The formal public comment hearing will be held for the license application on zoom at 4:00 PM on January 6, 2021. Following the public hearing, the Department will continue to accept written comments from all interested parties on the application for an additional thirty (30) days following the close of the hearing (until 2/5/2021), at the following address:

Department of Environmental Management Office of Land Revitalization and Sustainable Materials Management 235 Promenade Street, Providence, RI 02908. Tel. (401) 222-2797

Attention: Nathan Arruda, Email: Nathan.arruda@dem.ri.gov

The Department's final decision on the application will be made within ninety (90) days after the close of the public comment period.

#### **Information on Public Workshop is below:**

#### 11/19/2020 4:00 PM

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89720015438?pwd=NHp4SHg2OUgyb0tibkFGbjJxejdSZz09

Meeting ID: 897 2001 5438

Passcode: 160659

Dial in number 929 205 6099 US (New York)

Meeting ID: 897 2001 5438

Passcode: 160659

Find your local number: https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kcZmnlfk5d

### The Formal Public Hearing Link is below:

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https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83910384818?pwd=cldlRjVMaERTUmhYQ1g1MTE1dnEvZz09

Meeting ID: 839 1038 4818

Passcode: 197972

Dial in number 929 205 6099 US (New York)

Meeting ID: 839 1038 4818

Passcode: 197972

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