

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (LDEQ)**  
**CLEAN HARBORS COLFAX, LLC**  
**INTENT TO DENY HAZARDOUS WASTE OPERATING PERMIT RENEWAL APPLICATION**

**EXTENSION OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

**The public comment period for this Notice of Intent to Deny the Hazardous Waste Operating Permit Renewal Application is being extended from Monday, February 24, 2020 to Friday, March 20, 2020.**

The LDEQ, Office of Environmental Services, is accepting written comments on a Notice of Intent to Deny the Hazardous Waste Operating Permit Renewal Application for Clean Harbors Colfax, LLC, 3763 Highway 471, Colfax, Louisiana 71417 for the Colfax Open Burning/Open Detonation (OB/OD) Facility. **The facility is located at 3763 Highway 471, Colfax, Louisiana, Grant Parish.**

Clean Harbors Colfax, LLC, submitted a hazardous waste operating permit renewal application to thermally treat reactive and explosive waste. The LDEQ reviewed the application and all related documents prior to issuing the Notice of Intent to Deny the hazardous waste operating permit.

Comments and requests for a public hearing or notification of the final decision can be submitted via personal delivery, U.S. mail, email, or fax. **Comments and requests for public hearings must be received by 4:30 pm CST, Friday, March 20, 2020.** Delivery may be made to the drop-box at 602 N. 5<sup>th</sup> St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802. U.S. Mail may be sent to LDEQ, Public Participation Group, P.O. Box 4313, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4313. Emails may be submitted to [DEQ.PUBLICNOTICES@LA.GOV](mailto:DEQ.PUBLICNOTICES@LA.GOV) and faxes sent to (225) 219-3309. Persons wishing to receive notice of the final permit action must include a complete mailing address when submitting comments.

Please see additional instructions for comment submission, hand delivery and information regarding electronic submission at <http://www.deq.louisiana.gov/page/the-public-participation-group> or call (225) 219-3276.

If LDEQ finds a significant degree of public interest, a public hearing will be held. LDEQ will send notification of the final permit decision to the applicant and to each person who has submitted written comments or a written request for notification of the final decision.

The hazardous waste operating permit renewal application and all related documents are available for review at the LDEQ, Public Records Center, 602 North 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, LA. Viewing hours are from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday (except holidays). **The available information can also be accessed electronically on the Electronic Document Management System (EDMS) on the DEQ public website at [www.deq.louisiana.gov](http://www.deq.louisiana.gov).**

Additional copies of the permit application may be reviewed at the Grant Parish Library, Colfax Branch, 300 Main Street, Colfax, Louisiana 71417.

Previous notice regarding the permit application has been published in The Advocate and The Chronicle on May 18, 2017 and Thursday, January 9, 2020.

Inquiries or requests for additional information regarding this permit action should be directed to Karla Vidrine, LDEQ, Waste Permits Division, P.O. Box 4313, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4313, phone (225) 219-3047.

Persons wishing to be included on the LDEQ permit public notice mailing list, wishing to receive the permit public notices via email by subscribing to the LDEQ permits public notice List Server, or for other public participation related questions should contact the Public Participation Group in writing at LDEQ, P.O. Box 4313, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4313, by email at [DEQ.PUBLICNOTICES@LA.GOV](mailto:DEQ.PUBLICNOTICES@LA.GOV) or contact the LDEQ Customer Service Center at (225) 219-LDEQ (219-5337).

**Permit public notices including electronic access to the Notice of Intent to Deny and associated information** can be viewed on the LDEQ permits public webpage at <http://www.deq.louisiana.gov/public-notices> and general information related to the public participation in permitting activities can be viewed at <http://www.deq.louisiana.gov/page/the-public-participation-group>.

**All correspondence should specify AI Number 32096, Permit Number LAD 981 055 791 – RN–OP-1, and Activity Number PER20170002.**

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