Notice of Informational Meeting

City of Los Angeles
Department of Building and Safety
Local Enforcement Agency

New Solid Waste Facility Permit
For the Potential Industries, Inc., Wilmington, CA

The City of Los Angeles Solid Waste Local Enforcement Agency (LEA) will be holding an informational meeting on the date and time shown below concerning the issuance of a new Solid Waste Facility Permit (SWFP) for a Large Volume Transfer/Processing Facility for Potential Industries, Inc. located at 922 East “E” Street in Wilmington, California

Potential Industries (PI) has been operating a traditional paper recycling center in the City of Los Angeles (Wilmington) since 1975. In the 1980’s, PI moved to their current location and began developing this property. The new SWFP would be for this site. The site’s design capacity is for 5,865.70 tons per day (tpd). PI would be expanding from a 1,000 tpd traditional paper recycling operation to a 5,000 tpd materials recycling facility. Operations would run 24 hours per day, seven days per week. Types of material that will be accepted at the site will include: mixed municipal solid waste; construction/demolition; inert; compostable materials such as food waste and green waste; and Los Angeles City’s “green bin” material, “blue bin” material, segregated and co-mingled commercial and multi-family source-separated waste.

On December 2, 2011, the LEA received an application package from Potential Industries for a new SWFP permit. The LEA has reviewed the application and on March 1, 2012, determined that it was acceptable for processing. The LEA is currently drafting the new permit and soliciting public comments on the project for consideration. The new permit will be issued to the facility operator after concurrence from the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle).

The informational meeting is open to all interested parties to ask questions and provide comments regarding the facility and the processing of the large volume transfer station permit. All comments received during the informational meeting will be reviewed and considered by the LEA for permitting purposes and forwarded to CalRecycle for consideration in their concurrence.

Meeting Date & Time: Thursday, March 22, 2012 at 3:30 pm

Meeting Location: Bannings Landing Community Center
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