



**Pennsylvania
Department of Environmental Protection**

DEP INFORMATION SHEET:

PERMIT REVIEW PROCESS FOR

Blythe Recycling and Demolition Site Holdings, Inc.

Major Permit Modification to Utilize Leachate Hauling for Managing Leachate

Application No. 101679-A262

Blythe Township, Schuylkill County

Current Permit Information

-Blythe Recycling and Demolition Site Holdings Inc. (BRADS) operates an existing 110-acre construction and demolition (C/D) waste landfill located off Burma Road in Blythe Township, Schuylkill County.

-BRADS currently holds a Waste Management Permit with the Department of Environmental Protection that expires January 20, 2035.

-The current permit authorizes BRADS to haul leachate to wastewater treatment plants by truck until a pipeline is constructed to directly discharge leachate to Schuylkill Valley Sewer Authority.

Proposed Major Modification Information

-The proposed major modification requests to include leachate hauling by truck as the primary means of handling leachate from the facility.

-Since the landfill currently hauls leachate by truck, this modification will not result in an increase in traffic; however, it will extend the trucking of leachate for the life of the landfill.

-If approved, the permit modification does not change the term of the permit and BRADS would need to apply for renewal prior to the January 20, 2035 expiration date.



PERMITTING PROCESS:

Timeline:

- BRADS filed the major permit modification application with DEP on May 27, 2026.
- On Saturday, June 13, 2026, a notice was placed in the PA Bulletin by DEP indicating the 60-day public comment period for the application had begun.
- DEP is currently in the process of reviewing the application. The Technical Review involves DEP Waste Management Staff reviewing the technical aspects of the application as well as potential environmental impacts. This application is subject to the Department's PAYback policy. The Department's review time is 196 business days or less.
- Written comments about the permit expansion application can be sent to: Roger Bellas, Program Manager-Waste Management Program, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701 or RA-EPWM-NERO@pa.gov.