

DEP FACT SHEET:

PERMIT REVIEW PROCESS FOR

Recycle Oil Company

Major Permit Modification – Addition of Tanks

Application No. 301288-A221

Wilson Borough, Northampton County

Current Permit Information

-Recycle Oil is an existing residual waste oil processing facility located at 1600 South 25th Street, Easton, PA 18042. The facility is located in Wilson borough.

-Current permitted maximum approved storage volumes are:

Oily water/antifreeze: 20,000 gallons

Waste Oil: 80,000 gallons

Petroleum contaminated debris: 22 cubic yards

Residue from on-site filtering devices: 110 gallons

-Its permitted operating hours are from 6:00am to 7:00pm Monday through Friday and 7:00am to 5:00pm Saturday.

-Recycle Oil Company currently holds a Waste Management Permit with the Department of Environmental Protection that expires June 29, 2028.

Proposed Modification Information

-The application requests an increase in tank storage volume for the facility from 100,000 gallons to 140,000 gallons, through the addition of two new 20,000 gallon tanks.

-If approved, the modification does not change the term of the permit and Recycle Oil Company would still need to apply for permit renewal prior to the June 29, 2028 expiration date.

Timeline:

-Recycle Oil Company filed a permit application with DEP on June 3, 2022 to remove three unused tanks and to add two new 20,000 gallon tanks.

-An administrative incomplete letter was sent by DEP on June 15, 2022. The applicant provided supplemental information in response on August 9, 2022 and the application was deemed administratively complete on August 11, 2022.

-On Saturday, August 27, 2022, a notice was placed in the PA Bulletin by DEP indicating the 60day public comment period for the expansion application had begun.

-DEP is currently in the process of reviewing the application.

-Written comments about the application can be sent to: Roger Bellas, Program Manager-Waste Management Program, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701.