



Pennsylvania
Department of Environmental Protection

July 30, 2024

VIA E-MAIL TO: Gary.Cline@nrg.com

Gary Cline
Homer City Redevelopment, LLC
1750 Power Plant Road
Homer City, PA 15748

Re: Temporary Ash Disposal Site Closure Plan
Homer City Generating Station
Auth. Id. 1490420
Center Township
Indiana County, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Cline:

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has reviewed the proposed Closure Plan for the Temporary Ash Disposal Site. The plan involves the removal of the ash and the ash will be placed in the on-site Coal Refuse Disposal Area in accordance with the existing operations approved by the Department's Bureau of Mining Program. The plan covers removal of the ash, soil sampling and analysis, erosion and sedimentation controls and groundwater monitoring.

The Department approves the Closure Plan activities as outlined in the plan dated June 2024 with revisions dated July 2024.

Compliance with the terms and conditions set forth in the closure plan are mandatory. Please note that issuance of this plan does not eliminate the necessity to comply with all federal, state, or local requirements at the facility.

Any person aggrieved by this action may appeal, pursuant to Section 4 of the Environmental Hearing Board Act, 35 P.S. §7514, and the Administrative Agency Law, 2 Pa.C.S.A. Chapter 5A, to the Environmental Hearing Board, Second Floor, Rachel Carson State Office Building, 400 Market Street, P.O. Box 8457, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8457, 717.787.3483. TDD users may contact the Board through the Pennsylvania Relay Service, 800.654.5984. Appeals must be filed with the Environmental Hearing Board within 30 days of receipt of written notice of this action unless the appropriate statute provides a different time period. Copies of the appeal form and the Board's rules of practice and procedure may be obtained from the Board. The appeal form and the Board's rules of practice and procedure are also available in braille or on audiotape from the Secretary to the Board at 717.787.3483. This paragraph does not, in and of itself, create any right of appeal beyond that permitted by applicable statutes and decisional law.

IF YOU WANT TO CHALLENGE THIS ACTION, YOUR APPEAL MUST REACH THE BOARD WITHIN 30 DAYS. YOU DO NOT NEED A LAWYER TO FILE AN APPEAL WITH THE BOARD.

IMPORTANT LEGAL RIGHTS ARE AT STAKE, HOWEVER, SO YOU SHOULD SHOW THIS DOCUMENT TO A LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD A LAWYER, YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR FREE PRO BONO REPRESENTATION. CALL THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD 717.787.3483 FOR MORE INFORMATION.

If you have any questions about the enclosed permit or requirements of the Solid Waste Management Act, please contact Shawn Peters, P.E. at 814.332.6848. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Christina S. Wilhelm

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Waste Management

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