

PUBLIC NOTICE
PUGET SOUND CLEAN AIR AGENCY
DRAFT AIR OPERATING PERMIT

Applicant:
King County Solid Waste Division, Cedar Hills Regional Landfill
16645 228th Ave SE
Maple Valley, WA 98038

Puget Sound Clean Air Agency (the Agency) is seeking comments on draft Air Operating Permit (Permit No. 10138) for the Cedar Hills Regional Landfill, located at 16645 228th Ave SE, Maple Valley, WA 98038. This facility is an engineered facility that is specifically constructed for the purpose of safely and permanently disposing of municipal solid waste. The sources of air emissions at the landfill are: the landfill gas combustion emissions from the flares, fugitive landfill gas, and fugitive particulate matter from vehicle travel on unpaved and paved roads. Facility operations result in releases of volatile organic compounds, hazardous air pollutants, oxides of nitrogen, carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, and particulate matter.

The draft Air Operating Permit is a renewal of the current Title V Air Operating Permit that is already in force. Air Operating Permits expire every five years and need to be renewed. This renewal incorporates all the new compliance requirements that have come into effect for Cedar Hills Regional Landfill since the previous permit was issued.

Copies of the draft Air Operating Permit, the application, and all supporting materials are available for review on the Agency's website at:

<https://pscleanair.gov/175/Permits-Open-for-Comment>

The Agency will accept comments on this permit starting April 25, 2023, until May 25, 2023.

Send comments by e-mail to: **PublicComment@pscleanair.gov**

Send written comments to:

Air Operating Permit Program
Puget Sound Clean Air Agency
1904 Third Ave, Suite 105
Seattle, WA 98101

A public hearing may be held if the Agency determines that there is significant public interest. Requests for a public hearing must be submitted within the comment period. Any such request for a public hearing must indicate the interest of the person or organization filing it, and describe why a hearing is necessary.

This Notice is published pursuant to the Washington State Clean Air Act (Chapter 70A.15 RCW and WAC 173-401-800). The Air Operating Permit is issued pursuant to Chapter 173-401 WAC and Title V of the Federal Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

Air Operating Permits are also subject to review and approval by US EPA. If a public comment is sent to the Agency for this permit, and the Agency has not addressed the comment in a satisfactory manner, and the EPA has not objected to the proposed permit, then the public may submit a petition requesting that the EPA reconsider the decision not to object. Petitions shall be submitted electronically to US EPA at TitleVPetitions@epa.gov or by mail to US EPA, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards, Air Quality Policy Division, Operating Permits Group Leader, 109 T.W. Alexander Dr. (C-504-01), Research Triangle Park, NC 27711. Petitions shall be submitted within 60 days after the end of the 45-day EPA review period. The EPA review period for this permit starts no earlier than May 26, 2023.

This notice will appear in the following publications on April 25, 2023:

- Daily Journal of Commerce
- Seattle Times