

**Public Notice**  
**Continental Refining Company, LLC.**  
**Somerset, Pulaski County, Kentucky**  
**Decision to Tentatively Approve a Post-Closure Permit**  
**EPA ID# KYD-089-227-227**  
**AI#3842**

The Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet (Cabinet), Division of Waste Management (Division), has reached a tentative decision to approve a Post-Closure Permit for Continental Refining Company, LLC. The facility is located at 501 Refinery Road, Somerset, Pulaski County, Kentucky, 42501. The facility's designated contact person is Megan Rawlins who may be reached at (606) 679-6301. Alternatively, you may contact Catherine S. Garrison from the Division of Waste Management at (502) 782-6364

**Why does Continental Refining Company, LLC. need to renew their Hazardous Waste Post-Closure Permit Application?** The initial hazardous waste permit for the facility was in 2014 for a 10 year term for post-closure care of the closed hazardous waste landfill. The Cabinet is renewing the Post-Closure Permit to Continental for a 10 year term to legally enforce and guide maintenance and monitoring of the closed landfill and to require corrective action of other impacted areas. Issuance of the Post-Closure Permit will result in the continuation of legally binding stipulations to guide such maintenance and any necessary corrective actions.

The purpose of the Post-Closure Permit is to make certain that any current and future operations and developments use and manage the site in compliance with regulatory requirements. The Post-Closure Permit outlines all steps that Continental will take to ensure the protection of human health and the environment.

**Where can I review the documents used to make this tentative decision?**

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Monday-Friday: 8:00am-4:30pm

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304 South Main Street  
Somerset KY 42501  
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Hours of Operation:  
Mon-Fri 9-7; Sat 9-5; Sun Closed

**How can I tell Kentucky Division of Waste Management what I think about this tentative approval?**

The Cabinet encourages public involvement and welcomes comments. Anyone wishing to comment or request a hearing on this tentative decision should submit comments to the Cabinet on or before September 3 2025, the close of the public comment period. Electronic comments should be submitted to John F. Moore at [Johnf.Moore@ky.gov](mailto:Johnf.Moore@ky.gov) or mailed to: April Webb, P.E., Branch Manager, Hazardous Waste Branch, Division of Waste Management, 300 Sower Blvd, Frankfort, KY 40601, (502)782-6419.

**What will the Cabinet do with the comments they receive?**

The Cabinet will consider all comments, received by the close of the public comment period on October 20, 2025, in making a final decision. Anyone submitting comments will be mailed a “response to public comments” document specifying any changes made or not made (with reasons why) as a result of the comment(s) submitted.

Any person who may be aggrieved by the final decision to accept this post-closure renewal approval may file a petition with the Cabinet a petition that sets forth the grounds of the objection and demands a hearing pursuant to KRS 224.10-420(2).

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