

PUBLIC NOTICE

Groundwater Assessment Report for Blue Ridge Landfill
Advanced Disposal Services Blue Ridge Landfill, Inc.
Agency Interest No. 998 / Application Activity No. AIN20160001

The Energy and Environment Cabinet, Division of Waste Management, Solid Waste Branch (DWM) proposes to approve a Groundwater Assessment Report for the Blue Ridge Landfill in Estill County and has issued a draft permit.

Advanced Disposal Services Blue Ridge Landfill, Inc. was placed in groundwater contamination assessment pursuant to 401 KAR 48:300 Section 8 for exceedances of chloride and total dissolved solids (TDS) in groundwater monitoring well MW-7. The report demonstrates that the exceedances are most likely a product of natural groundwater conditions (i.e., salt-water impacts) in the New Albany (Chattanooga) Shale. As a consequence, DWM intends to conditionally approve the report and release the Blue Ridge Landfill from groundwater contamination assessment. Additional information may be found in the fact sheet which has been incorporated into the administrative record.

Blue Ridge Landfill is municipal solid waste disposal facility. The name and address of the permit applicant and facility is Advanced Disposal Services Blue Ridge Landfill, Inc., 2700 Winchester Road, Irvine, KY 40336. The contact person is Joe Santangelo at (724) 892-2199. The landfill may be accessed by traveling 3.3 miles on Highway 89 North from Irvine, KY. The permitting action is being processed at the Division of Waste Management, Solid Waste Branch, Second Floor, 300 Sower Blvd., Frankfort, KY 40601.

Anyone wishing to request a hearing or to make comments on the Groundwater Assessment Report should submit the request or comments in writing to Danny Anderson, P.E., Division of Waste Management, Solid Waste Branch, 300 Sower Blvd, Frankfort, KY 40601, no later than close of business on December 10, 2018, the end of the 30 day comment period. Please reference Agency Interest No. 998 and Activity No. AIN20160001 on any correspondence.

The groundwater assessment report and related information are incorporated into the administrative record and can be reviewed at the Division of Waste Management's Frankfort office between 8:30 AM and 4:00 PM weekdays by appointment only. To make an appointment, submit an open records request, or request materials in an alternate format, submit a written request to eec.kora@ky.gov at least 72 hours prior to the desired review date. Please include Agency Interest No. 998 and Application Activity No. AIN20160001 in the email request. For assistance with an open records request, contact Emily Perkins at (502) 782-1786. Further, an electronic copy of the administrative record has been forwarded to the Estill County Public Library located at 246 Main Street in Irvine, KY 40336. For other questions pertaining to the solid waste permitting process or questions specific to this permitting action, please contact Jamie Nielsen at (502) 782-6426.

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