



STATE OF NEVADA

Department of Conservation & Natural Resources

DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

The Administrator, Division of Environmental Protection (“Division”), Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Carson City, Nevada is issuing the following Notice of Proposed Action under the authority of the Nevada Revised Statutes, the Nevada Administrative Code, and the Safe Drinking Water Act.

The Administrator has received a renewal application for an Underground Injection Control (UIC) permit, which has been drafted for public comment. Permit UNEV2007200 has been applied for by the following applicants:

Olin Corporation
3855 North Ocoee Street, Suite 200
Cleveland, TN 37312

Montrose Chemical Corporation of California
600 Ericksen Ave. NE, Suite 380
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110

The permittee has submitted an application for the renewal of the UIC permit associated with groundwater remediation from the Olin Corporation (formerly Pioneer Americas), former Montrose, and former Stauffer facilities in Henderson, Nevada. The application is in response to groundwater impacted by the past release of benzene, chlorobenzene, and other compounds including volatile organic compounds (VOCs), semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs), and pesticides. The permittee operates a remediation system utilizing a pump and treat system called the Henderson Groundwater Treatment System (GWTS) located at 303 Warm Springs Road in Henderson. The permittee extracts contaminated groundwater from extraction wells located just north of the GWTS and re-injects the treated groundwater into three subsurface fluid distribution systems (trenches). The trenches are located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 11, T22S, R62E, MDB&M in Clark County.

On the basis of preliminary review of the requirements of the Nevada Revised Statutes, the Nevada Administrative Code, the Safe Drinking Water Act, and implementing regulations, the Administrator proposes to renew permit UNEV2007200 as stated above.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding permit issuance or to request a hearing pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code, Water Pollution Control, should submit their comments or request in writing by April 27, 2012 either in person or by mail to:

Nevada Division of Environmental Protection

Attn: Russ Land
Bureau of Water Pollution Control
901 South Stewart Street; Suite 4001
Carson City, NV 89701-5249

All comments or objections received within thirty days of this newspaper publication will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. If written comments indicate a significant degree of public interest in the proposed permit, the Administrator shall hold a public hearing. A public notice of such hearing will be issued not less than thirty days prior to the hearing date.

The application, draft permit and other information are on file and may be copied at the office of the Division of Environmental Protection, or copies may be obtained by writing to the above address or by calling Russ Land of the Bureau of Water Pollution Control at (775) 687-9428.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all persons whom you know would be interested in this matter.