



Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery



NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

**City of Berkeley Solid Waste Management Center & Transfer Station
Revised Solid Waste Facility Permit
Date of Notice April 28, 2021**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN in compliance with Title 27 of the California Code of Regulations (27 CCR), Section 21660.4 that the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle), serving as the solid waste Enforcement Agency (EA) for the City of Berkeley, received an application for Solid Waste Facility Permit Revision for the City of Berkeley Solid Waste Management Center & Transfer Station, (SWIS No. 01-AC-0029), on March 8, 2021. The application was accepted as complete and correct per 27 CCR Section 21570 on April 2, 2021.

Facility Operator: City of Berkeley

Facility Location: 1201 Second Street, Berkeley, California 94710

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EA Contact: Joy Isaacson, CalRecycle, (916) 341-6772, joy.isaacson@calrecycle.ca.gov
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Project Description: The City of Berkeley Solid Waste Management Center & Transfer Station is an existing transfer/processing facility on 4.68 acres in an Industrial area in the City of Berkeley. The proposed project would allow: an increase in maximum daily tonnage from 560 tons per day to 620 tons per day; an increase in facility operating hours from 5:00 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 6:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday to 3:00 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 3:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday; updates to the permit findings and conditions; and updates to the Transfer Processing Report. No increase in permitted boundary, or additional construction are proposed.

Public Meeting: The EA is required to conduct a public information meeting pursuant to 27 CCR 21660.2 to provide information to the public and receive comments on the EA's proposed action to revise the SWFP. The EA is allowed to substitute a previously held public meeting on the same project if the meeting took place within one year prior to the date of the complete and correct determination by the EA. Consistent with the provisions of Executive Order N-25-20 for COVID-19 safety, a virtual public meeting was held online via Zoom by the City of Berkeley Planning & Development Department Zoning Adjustments Board on July 23, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. to receive

comments and approve Use Permit Modification #ZP2019-0077 and to adopt a Negative Declaration SCH# 2020060134. The EA was recognized by the presider of the public hearing and was available to answer questions. This public meeting meets the requirements of 27 CCR 21660.4 for substitute meetings. The decision to issue or not to issue the revised SWFP must be made by the EA within 120 days of the date the application was deemed complete and correct. The EA's preliminary determination is that the facility is required to revise the Solid Waste Facility Permit.

For additional information, a copy of the application and supporting documentation are available for public review by appointment only due to COVID-19 during regular business hours (8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday) at the EA's office located at 1001 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. Please contact Joy Isaacson to schedule an appointment.

If you would like to comment on this project, you may send your written comments to Ms. Isaacson at the contact information provided above. All comments received will be considered before a decision is made to issue or deny the SWFP Revision application.

For information on the appeals process pursuant to Public Resources Code, Section 44307 after the decision to issue or deny the permit revision, you may contact the EA as provided above.