

Permit No. 0220525MA, Minor Amendment.
 Applicant **Wilksburg-Penn Joint Water Authority**
 2200 Robinson Boulevard
 Pittsburgh, PA 15221
 Township or Borough Penn Hills Township
 County **Allegheny County**
 Responsible Official John Balewski
 Type of Facility Brinton Manor Tank and rebuilding of filters at the water treatment plant.
 Consulting Engineer MS Consultants
 300 Corporate Center Drive
 Moon Township, PA 15108
 Permit Issued January 14, 2021

**HAZARDOUS SITES CLEAN-UP
 UNDER THE ACT OF
 OCTOBER 18, 1988**

NOTICE OF PROMPT INTERIM RESPONSE

**Mazzaro—McKees Rocks Landfill,
 Kennedy Township, Allegheny County**

Under Section 506(b) of the Hazardous Sites Cleanup Act (HSCA) (35 P.S. § 6020.506(b)), notice is hereby given that the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has undertaken a HSCA prompt interim response at the Mazzaro—McKees Rocks Landfill site in Kennedy Township, Allegheny County (Site).

Work by DEP and its contractors has demonstrated that landfill gas (LFG), including methane, exists within the Site and potentially beyond the boundaries of the Site, at levels that exceed standards established in 25 Pa. Code Chapter 273 regulations for combustible gas monitoring, off-site migration and mitigation at permitted municipal waste landfill sites. The Department has begun a prompt interim response at the Site to help prevent the potential for offsite LFG migration.

The Department has considered the following six alternatives to address the potential for LFG migration from the Site: 1) take no action; 2) installation of an enhanced gas venting system; 3) installation of a passive trench venting system; 4) installation of a semi-active trench venting system; 5) installation of an active trench system; and 6) installation of impermeable barriers.

The Department chose alternative number 3, the installation of a passive trench venting system, because it complies with the applicable or relevant and appropriate requirements and is the most cost-effective.

The Administrative Record which contains the information that supports the Department's selection of this response action is available for public review and comment. The Administrative Record is available for review on the Department's website at <https://www.dep.pa.gov/Southwest>.

The Administrative Record will be open for review and comment from February 20, 2021, until May 21, 2021. Persons may submit written comments into the record during this time only by emailing the Department at RA-EPSW-HSCA@pa.gov.

In addition, persons may participate in a public hearing where oral comments which will be transcribed for inclusion in the Administrative Record. In accordance with Governor Tom Wolf's emergency disaster declaration and

based on advice from the Department of Health regarding the mitigation of the spread of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), the DEP has scheduled a virtual public hearing for April 6, 2021, beginning at 6:00 p.m. Persons wishing to observe or present comments must register by contacting Lauren Fraley at lfracley@pa.gov or 412-442-4203 a minimum of 24 hours in advance of the hearing to reserve a time to present testimony. Individuals who register for the event will receive the link and instructions on how to join. Video demonstrations and screen sharing by the public will not be permitted. Testimony will be limited to three minutes.

Individuals providing testimony are requested to submit a written copy of their verbal testimony by e-mail to RA-EPSW-HSCA@pa.gov after providing testimony at the hearing. All comments, whether delivered orally during the hearing or submitted in writing carry equal weight and consideration with DEP. More information on DEP virtual hearings may be found on DEP's Public Participation page, at www.dep.pa.gov (select "Public Participation").

Persons with a disability who wish to attend the hearing and require auxiliary aid, service or other accommodations to participate in the proceedings should call Lauren Fraley at (412) 442-4203, or through the Pennsylvania AT&T Relay Service at 1-800-654-5984 (TDD), to discuss how the Department may accommodate their needs.

**LAND RECYCLING AND
 ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION**

**UNDER ACT 2, 1995
 PREAMBLE 2**

The following plans and reports were submitted under the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (35 P.S. §§ 6026.101—6026.908).

Provisions of Sections 301—308 of the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act (act) (35 P.S. §§ 6026.301—6026.308) require the Department to publish in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* a notice of submission of plans and reports. A final report is submitted to document cleanup of a release of a regulated substance at a site to one of the act's remediation standards. A final report provides a description of the site investigation to characterize the nature and extent of contaminants in environmental media, the basis for selecting the environmental media of concern, documentation supporting the selection of residential or nonresidential exposure factors, a description of the remediation performed and summaries of sampling analytical results which demonstrate that remediation has attained the cleanup standard selected. Submission of plans and reports, other than the final report, will also be published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*. These include the remedial investigation report, risk assessment report and cleanup plan for a site-specific standard remediation. A remedial investigation report includes conclusions from the site investigation; concentration of regulated substances in environmental media; benefits of reuse of the property; and, in some circumstances, a fate and transport analysis. If required, a risk assessment report describes potential adverse effects caused by the presence of regulated substances. If required, a cleanup plan evaluates the abilities of potential remedies to achieve remedy requirements.