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Notice of Workshop for a Proposed Permanent Regulation Relating to Solid Waste Management Facilities and a Proposed Permanent Regulation Relating to Hazardous Waste Management Facilities:

Proposed Permanent Regulation Relating to Solid Waste Management Facilities:

LCB File No. R037-13: Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 444.560 establishes the authority of the State Environmental Commission (SEC) to adopt a schedule of fees related to regulation of solid waste management facilities in areas subject to the jurisdiction of the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (excludes Washoe and Clark Counties). The proposed regulation establishes the following fees: application fees for obtaining a permit or approval to operate certain new solid waste facilities; annual permit fees applicable to certain Class I and Class III disposal sites; and fees related to requests to modify an existing permit.

The proposed fees would apply to small number of landfill disposal facilities. There would be no significant economic impact on the public if the proposed fee schedule were adopted. If the fees applicable to municipal landfills were passed on to customers, the amount would be insignificant. There would be no additional cost to the agency for implementing the proposed fee schedule. The regulation does not overlap, duplicate or conflict with any regulations of other government agencies. The proposed regulation does not include provisions which are more stringent than a federal regulation.

Proposed Permanent Regulation Relating to Hazardous Waste Management Facilities:

LCB File No. R038-13: Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 459.500 and 459.510 establishes the authority of the State Environmental Commission (SEC) to adopt fees related to regulation of hazardous waste management facilities. The proposed regulation revises existing fees applicable to facilities that treat, store or dispose of hazardous waste. Hourly review fees related to renewal or modification of an existing permit are replaced with a flat fee structure. The structure of annual permit fees is revised and fees are increased. The regulation is clarified to indicate that annual permit fees are applicable to facilities where a remedial action plan has been permitted pursuant to 40 CFR Part 270 Subpart H. Various fees applicable to the volume of waste disposed or treated by a permitted facility are revised.

Each of the affected facility owners was contacted individually regarding the impact and their acceptance of the proposed fee increases. All of the facility owners were accepting of the proposed fee increases and none indicated adverse impacts on their business or operations. There would be no significant economic impact on the public if the proposed fees were adopted. There will be no additional cost to the agency for implementing the proposed fee schedule. The proposed regulation does not duplicate any other state or federal regulation. The proposed regulation does not include provisions which are more stringent than a federal regulation.

The following workshop, described below, has been scheduled to solicit comments from persons interested in solid waste or hazardous waste proposed permanent regulation.

9:00 A.M., Monday, September 23, 2013

**Bryan State Office Building
Great Basin Conference Room
901 S. Stewart Street
Carson City, Nevada 89701**

**Nevada Division of Environmental Protection
Red Rock Conference Room
2030 E. Flamingo Road Suite 230
Las Vegas, Nevada 89119**

The proposed permanent regulations and related materials are available on the NDEP website at: <http://ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm#waste>. A copy of materials relating to the proposed permanent regulations may also be obtained at the workshop or from Art Gravenstein at NDEP, 901 S. Stewart Street, Suite 4001, Carson City, NV 89701-5249; or by calling (775) 687-9467; or email to agravens@ndep.nv.gov.

Members of the public who are disabled and require special accommodations or assistance at the workshop are requested to notify Art Gravenstein no later than 5:00 p.m. on September 19, 2013.

Notice of this meeting is posted at the following Nevada locations:

Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, 901 S. Stewart Street, Carson City
State Legislative Building, 401 S. Carson Street, Carson City
Nevada State Library and Archives, 100 S. Stewart Street, Carson City
Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, 2030 E. Flamingo Road, Suite 230, Las Vegas