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## REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

June 28, 2018

Mr. Keith Bloomer, General Manager  
Liberty Tire Recycling, LLC  
9675 Range Line Road  
Port St. Lucie, Florida 34987  
Email: [kbloomer@libertytire.com](mailto:kbloomer@libertytire.com)

Re: First Request for Additional Information (RAI)  
Permit Renewal Application  
St. Lucie County – Solid Waste  
Facility Name: Liberty Tire Recycling, LLC  
Facility WACS ID: 70963  
DEP Project No.: 41202-006

Dear Mr. Bloomer:

Thank you for your Permit Renewal Application for the Liberty Tire Recycling, LLC, Waste Tire Processing Facility (Facility) submitted on June 21, 2018. A review of your submittal indicates that the Application is incomplete. Please provide the information in the attached document and refer to this RAI in your response. The response to this RAI must be signed, sealed, and dated by a registered Florida Professional Engineer.

In order for us to continue processing your application, the Department must receive a response within 90 days of this letter. However, in order for us to provide quicker processing of your permit application a response by July 27<sup>th</sup> would be appreciated. It is the Department's desire to provide prompt turnaround times on permit applications, and a quicker response to this RAI shortens the timeframe for which a final decision on the application can be made. Pursuant to Rule 62-4.055(1), F.A.C. and Section 120.60, F.S., failure of an applicant to provide timely requested information by the applicant deadline may result in denial of the application. You are encouraged to contact this office to discuss the items requested to assist you in developing a complete and adequate response.

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Department staff member Michael Bogin will be processing your permit application and can be contacted at 904-256-1579, or by email at [Michael.Bogin@dep.state.fl.us](mailto:Michael.Bogin@dep.state.fl.us). Please submit the response in electronic format to [Michael.Bogin@florida DEP.gov](mailto:Michael.Bogin@florida DEP.gov) or to [Brian.Durden@florida DEP.gov](mailto:Brian.Durden@florida DEP.gov). If the file is very large, you may post it to a folder on this office's ftp site at: <ftp://ftp.dep.state.fl.us/pub/incoming>. If you use the FTP site please notify Michael Bogin and/or Brian Durden by email that you have posted documents pending review.

Sincerely,



Brian Durden

Environmental Manager

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Attached: List of Requested Information

**Attachment 1: List of Requested Information.**

1. The Application form lists Liberty Tire Recycling LLC as the Applicant and the Facility Name. According to the Florida Department of State, Department of Corporations website, only a company listed as Liberty Tire Recycling, LLC (with a comma) matches with information provided in the Application. Please confirm that the Liberty Tire Recycling, LLC is the correct applicant name and make the necessary corrections to the Application and resubmit it. Please be reminded that the correct legal name in accordance with Florida Department of State, Department of Corporations website should be used on all applications and related correspondence to the Department.
2. Mr. Keith Bloomer is not a listed manager/member according to the Florida Department of State, Department of Corporations website. Please have the Application signed by a managing member of the company as listed on the Florida Department of State, Department of Corporations website. Alternately you may provide a letter, signed by a Florida Department of State, Department of Corporations listed managing staff authorizing Mr. Keith Bloomer or someone else to sign the Application on their behalf.
3. The Operations Plan provided with the application is old and out of date. Please revise and resubmit the Operations Plan to ensure it accurately reflects any Rule changes (particularly Rules 62-711.530 and 62-711.540, F.A.C. requirements). Also, the address current and proposed operation activities at this Facility that may not be covered by the Rule.
4. Please provide a Site Plan with locations of proposed waste tire storage areas, loading area, sorting areas, and processing areas clearly identified. Please verify that the Facility is in compliance with Rules 62-711.300(10)(b), 62-711.300(10)(e), 62-711.540(3), and 62-711.540(4), F.A.C.