

## Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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July 19, 2010

Sent via e-mail to: tdsmro@msn.com

Mr. Jim Merrifield President J.E. Merrifield, Inc. P.O. Box 550 Cottondale, Florida 32421

Dear Mr. Merrifield:

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) received your permit application for a waste tire processing facility known as Tire Disposal Services (DEP File Number 0064386-004-WT; Facility Identification No. 6475) located at 3053 Barnes Lane, Cottondale, Jackson County, Florida 32431. The Department received your application on July 13, 2010.

Given the controversial nature of solid waste management facilities in the Northwest District, in accordance with Rule 62-110.106(6), Florida Administrative Code, the Applicant shall publish, at the applicant's own expense, a Notice of Application in a newspaper of general circulation in the area where the facility is located and provide proof of publication to the Department within seven days of publication. "Publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the area affected" means publication in a newspaper meeting the requirements of Sections 50.011 and 50.013 of the Florida Statutes, in a county where the activity is to take place. Where there is more than one newspaper of general circulation in the county, the newspaper used must be one with significant circulation in the area affected by the permit. If you are uncertain that a newspaper meets these requirements, please contact the Department at the address or telephone number listed below.

You can view this and other documents for this facility at the following internet link:

http://appprod.dep.state.fl.us/WWW\_WACS/REPORTS/SW\_Facility\_Docs.asp?wacsid=6475

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If you have any questions, please contact me, by phone at (850) 595-8360, extension 1246 or by e-mail at dawn.templin@dep.state.fl.us.

Sincerely,

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Dawn Templin, P.E. Solid Waste Section Supervisor

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Enclosure: Public Notice of Receipt of Application

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## PUBLIC NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION

The Department of Environmental Protection announces receipt of a permit application to operate a waste tire processing facility from J.E. Merrifield, Inc., P.O. Box 550, Cottondale, Florida 32421. The facility known as Tire Disposal Services is located at 3053 Barnes Lane, Cottondale, Jackson County, Florida 32431.

This application is being processed and is available for public inspection during normal business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays, at the following location: Department of Environmental Protection, 160 Governmental Center, Room 308, Pensacola, Florida. File any comments or objections in writing to the Department at 160 Governmental Center, Pensacola, Florida 32502-5794.