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OCD-SW-13-1267

Sumter County – SW WACS # 53122  
Global Tire Recycling of Sumter County – Waste Tire Processing Facility  
First Request for Additional Information  
Permit Application No. 0136808-006-WT-02

Dear Mr. Bailey:

Lawrence G. Schmaltz, P.E., of Apex Companies, LLC submitted on your behalf, “Permit Renewal Application for Global Tire Recycling of Sumter County.” It was dated April 1, 2013 and received April 12, 2013. The application is to renew the waste tire processing facility permit 0136808-005-WT-02. We have assigned Permit No. 0136808-006-WT-02 to the application.

The renewal application was timely filed as defined in Rule 62-4.090, F.A.C. The existing permit (0136808-005-WT-02) shall remain in effect until this renewal application has received final action by the Department.


The application is incomplete. Please provide the information listed on the attached sheet promptly. Evaluation of your application will be delayed until all the requested information has been received.

Pursuant to Section 120.60(2), Florida Statutes, the Department may deny an application, if the applicant, after receiving timely notice, fails to correct errors and omissions, or supply additional information within a reasonable period of time. Accordingly, please provide the additional information within 30 days of the date you receive this letter. Submit one copy of the requested information to the Department and reference the above permit application number in your correspondence.

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If you have any questions, please contact Kim Rush at (407) 897-4314 or by e-mail at [kim.rush@dep.state.fl.us](mailto:kim.rush@dep.state.fl.us).

Sincerely,



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F. Thomas Lubozynski, P.E.  
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Note that all references to “Report” in the following text refer to the document entitled, “Permit Renewal Application for Global Tire Recycling of Sumter County,” prepared by: Lawrence G. Schmaltz, P.E., dated April 1, 2013.

1. The Operation Plan, page 4, section 3.5, states “The Global facility receives tires from the general public, in addition to Florida FDEP-registered waste tire collectors or holders of Florida waste tire processing permits. Both are allowed to dispose of tires at the Global recycling plant.” Please note, disposal of tires at the Global facility is not permitted; recycling or processing of tires is permitted. Please change the wording to remove reference to disposal.
2. Page 5, section 3.5 of the Operation Plan references the Emergency Preparedness Manual, dated November 20, 2002. At this time, the Central District is unable to retrieve the plan from the Department’s files. Nevertheless, Rule 62-711.540(1)(e), F.A.C. requires, “The manual shall be updated at least once a year and upon changes in operations at the site.” Therefore, an updated plan must be submitted.
  - a. Ensure all the company information in the plan required by Rule 62-711.540(1)(e)1 and 2, F.A.C., is correct.
  - b. Rule 62-711.540(1)(f), F.A.C., requires certain reporting to the Department.
    - i. Ensure the plan contains the correct contact information for the Central District FDEP office. The phone number that should be in the plan for the Central District is (407) 897-4100. Rule 62-711.540(1)(f), F.A.C., requires the operator to “immediately notify the Department in the event of a fire or other emergency which poses an unanticipated threat to the public health or the environment.” The Department recommend those words be included in the Emergency Preparedness Manual.
    - ii. With regard to emergencies, Rule 62-711.540(1)(f) requires “Within two weeks of any emergency, the operator of the site shall submit to the Department a written report on the emergency. This report shall describe the origins of the emergency, the actions that were taken to deal with the emergency, the results of the actions that were taken, and an analysis of the success or failure of the actions.” The Department recommends those words be included in the Emergency Preparedness Manual. The e-mail address for submittal of the required report is [DEP\\_CD@dep.state.fl.us](mailto:DEP_CD@dep.state.fl.us).
3. Page 5, section 3.5 of the Operation Plan states “In the event of a fire or other emergency, Global will contact FDEP Emergency Response at 800-320-0519, with a follow up written report.” This phone number is for the Florida State Watch Office (SWO). If you keep this information in the updated manual, use that name in place of FDEP Emergency Response.
4. The report contained a detailed cost estimate. The closure cost estimate is \$76,150. This estimate is approved by the Department. This amount allows for the maximum amount of waste tires and processed tires on site at any one time to be 1,288 tons and a maximum amount of residual tire derived waste on site at any one time to be 235 tons. The most recent document to demonstrate financial assurance for the facility was for the amount of \$80,256 as stated in the letter from the Department dated April 19, 2012. Therefore, no action is required at this time for the financial mechanism. If you have any questions regarding the financial assurance, please contact Susan Eldredge, FDEP Solid Waste Section, by email at [susan.f.eldredge@dep.state.fl.us](mailto:susan.f.eldredge@dep.state.fl.us) or by phone at (850) 245-8740.
5. The application referenced many historical documents. If the Central District is not able to locate these documents, you will be required to provide copies of them.