## OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality ("DEQ") received a Tier III application for a solid waste permit modification to receive and process untreated regulated medical waste ("RMW") at the Reworld Tulsa facility, 2122 S. Yukon, Tulsa, OK (legal description – located in Northerly nine hundred feet (900 feet) of the easterly one thousand eighty-five feet (1085 feet) of the NW1/4 of NE1/4 of Section 15, Township 19 North, Range 12 East, Tulsa County, Oklahoma). The application was filed by Reworld Tulsa, LLC, formerly known as Covanta, on November 12, 2023.

The Draft Solid Waste Permit Modification and its conditions propose to allow Reworld Tulsa to accept and process up to 40,000 tons/year of RMW and construct a staging area, building and an automated conveyor system for that purpose.

DEQ tentatively found that the application meets the requirements of Title 27A of the Oklahoma Statutes, Section 2-1-101, et seq., and rules of the DEQ, Oklahoma Administrative Code ("OAC") Title 252, Chapters 4 and 515, and has prepared a Draft Solid Waste Permit Modification for public review. Notice of draft permit was originally published in *Tulsa World* on April 30, 2025, opening a 30-day public comment period and opportunity to request a public meeting. A public meeting was requested and has been scheduled.

Interested persons may submit oral or written comments and data regarding the Tier III application and Draft Solid Waste Permit Modification for the Reworld Tulsa facility at a public meeting conducted by the DEQ beginning at 5:30 PM on Thursday, July 10, 2025. The public meeting will be held at the Tulsa City County Library, located at 400 Civic Ctr, Tulsa, OK 74103.

The meeting is held in accordance with the requirements of Title 27A of the Oklahoma Statutes, Sections 2-14-302 and 303. The purpose of the meeting is for any person to submit oral or written statements and data concerning the Tier III application and Draft Solid Waste Permit Modification.

The public comment period is extended until the close of the public meeting. Persons may continue to submit comments in writing to DEQ at the DEQ address or website provided below until the close of the public meeting on July 10, 2025.

Copies of the application and Draft Solid Waste Permit Modification may be reviewed at the following locations:

- 1. Locally at the Tulsa City County Library, 400 Civic Center, Tulsa, OK 74103.
- 2. DEQ's Central Records Section, located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the DEQ building at 707 N Robinson Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73102.
- 3. DEQ's website at <a href="https://www.deq.ok.gov/land-protection-division/permit-public-participation-process/">https://www.deq.ok.gov/land-protection-division/permit-public-participation-process/</a>.

For further information about the meeting, contact Hillary Young, P.E., DEQ, Land Protection Division, Phone No. (405) 702-5100, Fax No. (405) 702-5101, email: <a href="mailto:hillary.young@deq.ok.gov">hillary.young@deq.ok.gov</a>. More specific information can be obtained by contacting Deanne Dutton Hughes, P.E., Third Branch Engineering, PO Box 582422, Tulsa, OK 74158-2422, (918) 609-3883.