OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY NOTICE - APPLICATION FILED

Application filed. A solid waste Tier III application has been filed with the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ). Interested persons now have the opportunity to meet with the DEQ and learn how and where they may participate in the permitting process.

Applicant: The applicant is Sooner Medical Waste Management.

Type of final permit or permit action being sought: The applicant seeks modify an existing permit.

Facility location: The Sooner Medical Waste Management is located at 1753 South Caddo St., Muldrow, Oklahoma. See legal description below.*

Activities to be regulated if the application is approved: Requesting a variance to OAC 252:515-23-31(b) to allow acceptance of non-hazardous industrial wastes generated by the cultivation, processing, and dispensing of medical marijuana. This includes "Medical Marijuana Waste" as defines in 63 O.S. 428 and roots, stems, fan leaves and seeds.

Additional waste stream from Non-hazardous Industrial Waste will not affect the microbial inactivation of regulated medial waste being process at Sooner Medical Waste Management facility.

Statutes and Rules: The DEQ will review the application for compliance with the Environmental Quality Code, including the Solid Waste Management Act, Title 27A of Oklahoma Statutes, Section 2-10-101, *et seq.*, and the rules of the DEQ, Oklahoma Administrative Code, Title 252, Chapters 4 and 515.

Permitting procedures explained: On request, a representative of DEQ will chair a meeting to explain the steps of DEQ's permitting process to interested persons. At that meeting, there will be discussion explaining when oral and written public comments can be made on the proposal. Administrative hearing opportunities will also be discussed. To request this process meeting, send a written request to the DEQ representative named below within 30 days after the date this notice is published. Please note this is not a meeting for protests. Its purpose is to advise interested persons on participation opportunities during the permitting process. For more information about this process meeting, please contact the DEQ representative named below.

Locations where application may be reviewed:

- 1. Locally at Muldrow Public Library, 711 West Shawntel Blvd., Muldrow, Oklahoma
- 2. The DEQ's Central Records Section, located on the 2nd floor of the DEQ building at 707 N. Robinson, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma and on DEQ's website at:

http://www.deq.state.ok.us/mainlinks/publicpermits.html and http://www.deq.state.ok.us/lpdnew/DraftPermits/ppp.html

For more information, contact:

- 1. For applicant: Elaine King, Phone 479-926-1901.
- For DEQ: <u>Hillary Young, P.E., Chief Engineer</u>, DEQ, Land Protection Division, P. O. Box 1677, Oklahoma City, OK 73101-1677; (405) 702- 5100; Fax No. (405) 702-5101.

*Legal description of site: 0.60 acres in Part of Lot 1 of Section 31, Township 11

North, Range 26 East, Indian Base and Meridian, Sequoyah County, Oklahoma (the basis of bearing: N00°13'09"W along the West line of the NW/4 of said Section 31) more particularly described as commencing at the NW Corner of said Section 31; thence along the West line thereof S00°13'09"E 733.71 feet to an existing magnail at the point of beginning; thence S89°54'59"E 167.00 feet to a set #3 rebar; thence S00°13'09"E 156.25 feet to a set #3 rebar; thence N89°54'59"W 167.00 feet to an existing magnail on the West line of Lot 1; Thence along said west line N00°13'09"W 156.25 Feet to the point of beginning.