## **DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**



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## PUBLIC NOTICE

On August 19, 2015 at 5:30 p.m., the Tooele Army Depot will hold and conduct a public meeting in room 159 of the Utah State University (USU) extension office located at 1021 W Vine St. in Tooele Utah, 84074.

The purpose of the meeting is to receive comments regarding a Class 2 modification to Tooele Army Depot's permit for Post Closure Monitoring and Corrective Action of Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs), administered by the Utah Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Waste Management and Radiation Control . This permit establishes requirements for the evaluation of releases of hazardous wastes or hazardous constituents, the development and implementation of corrective measures, and the post closure monitoring and maintenance of implemented corrective measures.

The purpose of the requested modification is to update the status of corrective action being considered or implemented over the past year, document the results of groundwater modeling efforts, and to update the inventory of monitoring wells included in the permit monitoring network. The proposed modifications to the permit are as follows.

- Module I The Directors mailing address in section I.L.2. has been changed to the following:
  Director
  Utah Waste Management and Radiation Control
  195 North 1950 West
  Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4820
- 2. <u>Module VII</u> Section VII.B.1.a. refers to semi-annual reports in V.F.1, but V.F.I states annual reports. VII.B.1.a. should be changed to annual.
- 3. Attachment 1 Table 2 was update to include additional monitoring wells that were installed. Wells C-56 through C-68 were added. Table 3 was modified to reduce inspection requirements to reflect actual need based on historical inspections. An analysis of the weekly inspections was conducted and the following changes reflect what is actually need. With cattle grazing being conducted on the instillation fence inspection will be done biweekly (every other week) during the grazing seasons (November May), and at least three times during off-season (June October). Presence of Wildlife and Unusual Odors were changed to reflect Security Fence inspections only because they can be done at the same time, but inspections logs indicate they could be less.
- 4. Attachment 2 Include a description of Sonic Drilling in section 3.2 of the Field Sampling Plan.
- 5. <u>Attachment 3</u> –Section 3 was updated with 2014 modeling information.
- 6. Attachment 8 Groundwater Area Maps have been updated with current well location information.

A copy of the permit will be available for review by the general public during regular business hours at the Tooele Army Depot Environmental Office (Building 8) located two miles south of Tooele, Utah. The permit will also be available for review at the State of Utah, Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Waste Management and Radiation Control, located at 195 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Questions concerning the proposed modification may be directed to the Tooele Army Depot Environmental Office, by contacting Nick Montgomery (435) 833-2761 or <a href="micholas.d.montgomery@us.army.mil">nicholas.d.montgomery@us.army.mil</a> or the Utah Division of Waste Management and Radiation Control by contacting Helge Gabert at (801) 536-0200 or <a href="majority-based-gate-1">higher @utah.gov</a>. The Permittee's compliance history during the life of the permit being modified is available from the Agency contact person.

A 60 Day public comment period regarding the proposed modification of the permit begins on July 20, 2015 and will end at 5:00 pm on September 18, 2015. Written comments may be submitted to Nick Montgomery, Environmental Office, JMTE-GME-ENV, 1 Tooele Army Depot, Building 501, Tooele, Utah 84074-5003 or to Mr. Scott Anderson, Director, Division of Waste Management and Radiation Control, Utah Department of Environmental Quality, 195 North 1950 West, PO Box 144880, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4880.