

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT**NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

Project Title: Permit Modification, Filter Recycling Services, Inc.

State Clearinghouse Number:

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Subject: Draft Negative Declaration

Project Location (include County): 180 West Monte Avenue, Rialto, California 180 W. Monte Avenue, Rialto, California 92316. San Bernardino County

Project Description: This Class 2 permit modification will make the following changes to the current Hazardous Waste Facility Series 'A' Standardized Permit:

1. Add the following waste streams that can be managed by its permitted units: asbestos, catalyst, pharmaceuticals, treated wood wastes, lab packs, oily water, RCRA-exempted gasoline/water waste which will be collected from conditionally exempt small quantity generators (CESQG) operations and from household generators only.
2. Allow cubic yard boxes and liquid totes to be stacked no more than two high within the permitted units.
3. Consolidate two existing permitted storage units (Unit #6 (Oily-Water Storage Tank) into Unit #8 (Waste Storage (Interior) (S1)). This will increase storage area for Unit #8 but the resulting number of containers or storage capacity in the modified Unit #8 will not increase.
4. Rename the Oily-Water Storage Tank from Unit #6 as a Portable Roll-off Container and include the Portable Roll-off Container as a type of container that can be used in Unit #8.
5. Add a permitted storage unit directly south of Waste Storage Area (S2). This new unit consists of a total area of 4,823 square feet. This new unit will be Unit #11 Waste Storage South (S4). This unit is designed for receiving incoming containers from transport vehicles, truck-to-truck bulk transfer, solid waste roll-off bins, and end dump storage. The storage capacity is 64,000 gallons.
6. Add truck-to-truck transfer activity. This activity takes place between multiple vehicles in Waste Storage (Interior) (S1) and Waste Storage Area (Exterior) (S2); between multiple vehicles within Waste Storage Area (Exterior) (S2); between multiple vehicles in Waste Storage Area (Exterior) (S2) and Waste Storage Area South (S4); and between multiple vehicles within Waste Storage Area South (S4).
7. Remove the "existing tool and supply storage area" as noted in the current plot plan.
8. Remove the fencing and extend the berm along the office to the south facility wall.

Lead Agency: DTSC, Berkeley Regional Office, 700 Heinz Street Berkeley, California 94710-2721.

Findings of Significant Effect on Environment:

(An Initial Study supporting this finding is attached.) The project does not have the potential to degrade the quality of the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a fish or wildlife species, cause a fish or wildlife population to drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, reduce the number or restrict the range of a rare or endangered plant or animal, or eliminate important examples of the major periods of California history or prehistory. The project does not have impacts that are individually limited but cumulatively considerable. "Cumulatively considerable" means that the incremental effects of an individual project are considerable when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the

effects of probable future projects. The project does not have environmental effects that will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly.

Mitigation Measures: None required.

<u>Team Leader Signature:</u> Team Leader - Mr. Alfred Wong, P.E., Sr. Hazardous Substances Engineer, (510) 540-3946	Date
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