

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PERMIT

TO OPERATE A SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY IN
ACCORDANCE WITH THE REGULATIONS GOVERNING
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

THIS CERTIFIES THAT
Belmont Homes Landfill, Inc.

has been granted permission to operate a solid waste management facility

located at

Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 11 East

under the name of

Belmont Homes Landfill, Inc. – Class I Rubbish Site

This permit is issued in accordance with the provisions of the Mississippi Code Annotated, and the regulations and guidelines adopted and promulgated thereunder

MISSISSIPPI ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PERMIT BOARD



AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Issued: APR 23 2014

Permit No. SW0710020516

Expires: March 31, 2024

CONDITIONS

A. EFFECT OF PERMIT

The permittee shall operate the solid waste management facility in accordance with the Mississippi Nonhazardous Waste Management Regulations (state regulations), applicable federal regulations, and conditions of this permit. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)

B. PERMIT ACTIONS

This permit may be modified, revoked and reissued, or terminated for noncompliance with the terms and conditions of this permit. The filing of a request for a permit modification, revocation and reissuance, or termination, or the notification of planned changes or anticipated noncompliance on the part of the permittee does not stay the applicability or enforceability of any permit condition. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)

C. SEVERABILITY

The provisions of this permit are severable, and if any provision of this permit or the application of any provision of this permit to any circumstance, is held invalid, the application of such provision to other circumstances, and the remainder of this permit shall not be affected thereby. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.1.E.)

D. DUTIES AND REQUIREMENTS

1. **Duty to Comply.** The permittee shall comply with all conditions of this permit. Any permit noncompliance constitutes a violation of the solid waste law and regulations promulgated thereunder and is grounds for enforcement action, permit termination, revocation and reissuance, modification, or for denial of a permit renewal application. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
2. **Duty to Reapply.** If the permittee wishes to continue an activity allowed by this permit after the expiration date of this permit, the permittee must submit a complete application for a new permit at least 180 days before this permit expires. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
3. **Duty to Mitigate.** The permittee shall take all reasonable steps to minimize, prevent, or correct any adverse impact on human health or the environment resulting from noncompliance with this permit. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)

4. Proper Operation and Maintenance. The permittee shall at all times properly operate and maintain all equipment and systems which are installed or used by the permittee to achieve compliance with the conditions of this permit and application as submitted and approved by the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ). (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
5. Duty to Provide Information. The permittee shall furnish to the MDEQ, within a reasonable time, any relevant information which the MDEQ may request to determine whether cause exists for modifying, revoking and reissuing, or terminating this permit, or to determine compliance with this permit. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.2.D.)
6. Inspection and Entry. The permittee shall allow an authorized representative of the MDEQ upon the presentation of credentials and other documents as may be required by law to:
 - (a) enter on the permittee's premises where a regulated activity is located or conducted, or where records must be kept under the conditions of this permit;
 - (b) have access to and copy at reasonable times any records that must be kept under the conditions of this permit;
 - (c) inspect at reasonable times any facilities, equipment, practices, or operations regulated or required under this permit;
 - (d) sample or monitor at reasonable times for the purposes of assuring permit compliance.(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
7. Transfer of Permits. This permit is not transferable to any person except after notice to and approval of the Mississippi Environmental Quality Permit Board. The Permit Board may require modification or revocation and reissuance of the permit to change the name of the permittee and incorporate such other requirements as may be necessary. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.2.L.)

E. SITE SPECIFIC OPERATING CONDITIONS

1. The facility shall be operated in accordance with the approved plan of operation, unless an altered or modified plan of operation is approved by the MDEQ. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)

2. Modification(s) to this permit shall be required prior to a vertical or horizontal expansion of the facility or a significant change in the method of waste management. Prior to modification, the permittee shall receive approval/authorization from the MDEQ in accordance with Condition E.8 of this permit. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
3. If the permittee executes a contract with a private contractor to operate the facility, the permittee shall comply with the following requirements prior to the private contractor beginning operation of the facility:
 - (a) a complete disclosure form for the private contractor shall be submitted and approved as established by state law and regulations; and
 - (b) a copy of executed contract between the private contractor and the permittee shall be submitted to and approved by the MDEQ. Any new contract or change in the existing contract concerning operational control of the facility shall be submitted to the MDEQ for approval before execution of the new or modified contract.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.2.E(4).)

4. The disposal of Class I rubbish waste shall be restricted to the approved permitted area consisting of 35 acres. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(4).)
5. A property line setback of at least 150 feet shall be maintained between the property line and the disposal area. Visual screening shall be maintained throughout the life of the facility. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.3.T(1)(c).)
6. Construction and operation activities of the facility shall be conducted in accordance with State regulations and the approved plans, as submitted to the MDEQ. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
7. Security shall be maintained at the facility to prohibit unauthorized access and disposal. Access to the site shall be secured and/or restricted when the site is closed and/or when no attendant is on site. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(2).)
8. The permittee shall obtain written authorization from the MDEQ prior to disposal of rubbish from a new generator/leasee. The request for authorization shall include the following information:
 - (a) SIC code of the business;
 - (b) type, description, and characteristics of the rubbish generated;
 - (c) an estimate of the quantity of waste generated;

- (d) the number of units the business will lease; and
- (e) the term of the lease.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)

9. The permittee shall notify the MDEQ in writing upon cancellation or termination of any leasee's right to utilize Belmont Homes Landfill, Inc.'s Class I rubbish site. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)

10. Unless otherwise approved by the local solid waste management plan and the MDEQ, the permittee shall only accept rubbish wastes from Tiffin Motor Homes, Inc., Red Bay, Alabama (manufacturer of motor homes), Tiffin Motor Homes, Inc., Belmont, Mississippi (manufacturer of motor homes), Baymont, Inc., Golden, Mississippi (manufacturer of fiberglass products), L and L Wood, Belmont, Mississippi (manufacturer of wood products), and Waterway, Inc. (a subsidiary of Tiffin Motorhomes, Inc.), Iuka, Mississippi (manufacturer of fiberglass products).

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)

11. Vehicles entering the facility shall be operated and maintained to prevent the loss of liquids or solid waste material. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)

12. Disposal of waste shall be limited to the following types of wastes:

- (a) natural vegetation, such as tree limbs, stumps, and leaves;
- (b) brick, mortar, concrete, stone, and asphalt;
- (c) construction and demolition debris, such as wood and metal, etc.;
- (d) cardboard boxes;
- (e) furniture;
- (f) plastic, glass, crockery, and metal, excluding containers;
- (g) sawdust, wood shavings, and wood chips;
- (h) appliances that have had the motor removed, excluding refrigerators and air conditioners;
- (i) other similar wastes specifically approved by the MDEQ or identified within this permit.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.B.)

13. Unless specifically listed in Condition E.12 of this permit, industrial solid wastes or wastes possessing characteristics other than those ascribed to Class I rubbish wastes shall be specifically approved by the MDEQ prior to acceptance at this facility. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
14. The following types of wastes shall be prohibited from disposal at this facility:
 - (a) any acceptable waste that has been contaminated by a pollutant, such as a food or chemical, unless it can be demonstrated to the satisfaction of the MDEQ that such waste has no adverse impact on the environment or human health;
 - (b) electronic wastes;
 - (c) household garbage and other food or drink wastes;
 - (d) liquids, sludges, and contaminated solids;
 - (e) paint, paint buckets, oil containers, and chemical containers;
 - (f) engines, motors, whole tires, and all types of batteries;
 - (g) toxic or hazardous wastes;
 - (h) regulated asbestos or asbestos containing materials;
 - (i) medical wastes;
 - (j) fabric, paper, refrigerators, air conditioners, cut or shredded tires, and any metal, glass, plastic or paper container, unless specifically approved by the MDEQ. The MDEQ shall consider the characteristics of the wastes, the operating plan on the facility, and other site specific conditions in determining the acceptability of any such waste; and
 - (k) other wastes that are specifically determined by the MDEQ to have an adverse impact on the environment and human health.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.D.)

15. Disposal area boundaries shall be clearly marked and maintained throughout the life of the facility. Placement of the permanent boundary markers shall comply with the following:
 - (a) the markers shall be at least three (3) feet in height;

- (b) the markers shall be constructed of concrete posts, metal pipes, weather treated wood posts, metal fence posts or other marker materials as approved by the MDEQ;
- (c) the markers shall be at least two (2) inches in diameter, with the exception of the metal fence posts and shall be placed in the ground at sufficient depth to facilitate permanence;
- (d) marker locations shall be located by a professional surveyor, registered with the State of Mississippi, and the certified survey indicating the locations and GPS coordinates of the permanent markers, with a cover letter, shall be submitted to the MDEQ;
- (e) the permittee shall inspect the boundary markers monthly and repair or replace markers that have been damaged or inadvertently removed from the disposal boundary. Boundary marker replacement shall comply with Condition E.15(d) of this permit; and
- (f) the permittee shall provide written notification to the MDEQ indicating completion of marker installation within five (5) working days of marker installation.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(4).)

- 16. Prior to the unloading and disposal of each waste load, the facility operator or a designated trained spotter shall visually inspect each waste load and remove any unauthorized wastes from the load. Incoming waste loads that contain significant amounts of unauthorized wastes shall be refused disposal at the facility. Incidental amounts of unauthorized wastes identified after waste unloading shall be immediately removed from the disposal area. All unauthorized wastes removed from incoming loads and/or the disposal area shall be collected and properly disposed at an authorized disposal facility. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(5).)
- 17. Wastes enclosed within bags or cardboard boxes shall be subject to random inspections to prevent the disposal of unauthorized wastes within the approved disposal area. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
- 18. Unloading and disposal of solid wastes at this facility shall be controlled by the facility operator and shall be confined to as small an area as practical. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(14).)
- 19. A periodic earthen cover or alternate cover shall be applied every two weeks to the wastes as specified in the approved plan of operation for this facility. Any alternate cover utilized at this facility shall be approved by the MDEQ prior to implementation of the alternate cover. The MDEQ

may alter or modify the frequency of cover depending upon the amount and/or type of wastes received at the facility and any other conditions at the facility that may warrant such action. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(7).)

20. The operation of the facility shall be conducted in a manner that minimizes windblown litter and prevents vector attraction. Windblown and scattered litter and/or debris within the buffer zones, facility operations areas, and access roads shall be collected at the end of every operating day and returned to the active disposal area for proper disposal. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(9).)
21. The permittee shall implement all necessary fire prevention measures as outlined in the approved plan of operation. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(11).)
22. Open burning of solid waste shall be prohibited. In the event of an accidental fire, the operator shall implement necessary steps to extinguish the fire and notify the MDEQ within 24 hours. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(10).)
23. Open burning of land clearing debris generated on site of the facility shall be allowed pending compliance with the following:
 - (a) land clearing debris to be burned shall be staged at least 100 yards from active or filled portions of the disposal area;
 - (b) burning operations shall be conducted in compliance with 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.3.G., Air Emission Regulations for the Prevention, Abatement, and Control of Air Contaminants;
 - (c) burning operations shall be conducted in compliance with all applicable local laws, ordinances, and/or regulations.(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(10).)
24. Solid wastes shall not be disposed in standing water, in any waters of the state, nor in any manner that may result in the wash-out of wastes. Furthermore, the site shall be developed and contoured to direct storm water run-off away from the active disposal area and to prevent water from collecting within any filled portion of the disposal area. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(12).)
25. The permittee shall operate this facility in compliance with all applicable requirements of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and the Mississippi Department of Archives and History. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.3.D., P., and Q.)

26. The permittee shall at all times provide, properly operate, and maintain equipment and systems utilized to achieve compliance with the conditions of this permit and all applicable laws, ordinances and regulations. The Permittee shall ensure proper training of all facility employees and ensure the employment of an adequate amount of employees required to properly operate the facility. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
27. The permittee shall submit an annual report to the MDEQ on or before February 28th of each year. The annual report shall contain, at a minimum, the following:
 - (a) the total amount of waste received during the previous calendar year, in units of tons or cubic yards;
 - (b) the estimated remaining capacity at the facility, in terms of acreage, cubic yards and/or years of life remaining;
 - (c) if the permittee utilizes a contract operator for the facility, an updated disclosure statement. If all information from the previously submitted disclosure statement is unchanged, a letter stating such may be included in lieu of an updated disclosure statement.(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(17).)
28. Filled areas of the site that have remaining capacity and that will not receive waste within thirty (30) days shall receive an intermediate earthen cover of twelve (12) inches. An alternate intermediate cover system may be approved by the MDEQ. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
29. The permittee shall apply at least two (2) feet of earthen cover material (applied as final cover) to the disposal area within thirty (30) days of completing said area. Following soil placement, suitable vegetation shall be promptly established and maintained. Any area where waste has been disposed that has not received additional wastes in the previous twelve (12) months shall be covered in accordance with this condition. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(18).)
30. The permittee shall routinely inspect the condition of intermediate and final earthen cover during the operation of the facility. Erosion, cracks, ponding, leachate outbreaks, and other similar problems shall be promptly repaired. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(21).)
31. The permittee shall notify the MDEQ in writing upon final closure of the facility. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 4, R. 1.6.E(20).)