

**Columbiana County**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**APPROVAL OF CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION DEBRIS FACILITY  
LICENSE TRANSFER FOR PENN OHIO RECYCLING, INC.**

Notice is hereby given that on November 27, 2002, in accordance with OAC Rule 3745-37, the director of Ohio EPA hereby approves the transfer of the license from Penn-Ohio Recycling, Inc. to Total Waste Logistics LLC. The facility is located at 1025 Bundy Road, Youngstown, Ohio 44509. This action is appealable to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission, at 236 East Town Street, Room 300, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Person's wishing to be on Ohio EPA's interested parties mailing list for this project must submit a request in writing to Ohio EPA, Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management, Attn: Systems Management Unit, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, Tel:(614)644-2621.

**Date of Public Notice: December 10, 2002**

**Cuyahoga County**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF 401 APPLICATION**

Public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Division of Surface Water (DSW) has received an application for, and has begun to consider whether to issue or deny, a Clean Water Act Section 401 certification for a project to construct a roadway, adjacent to Rockside Road and culvert 320 feet of unnamed tributary #2 to West Creek. The application was submitted by Donald Elewski, City of Independence, 7311 Valley View Drive, Independence, Ohio 44131. The project is located 500 ft north of Rockside Rd and 200 ft west of West Creek Drive. City of Independence, Cuyahoga County. The Ohio EPA Public Notice Number for this project is 021861.

The discharges from the activity, if approved, would result in degradation to, or lowering of, the water quality of West Creek, Cuyahoga River. The review of the application will be conducted, and a decision whether to grant or deny the application will be made, in accordance with Chapters 3745-1 and 3745-32 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, an antidegradation review of the application will be conducted before deciding whether to allow a lowering of the water quality. Other alternatives resulting in lesser or no degradation, or lowering of water quality, will be considered by Ohio EPA during the review process.

No exclusions or waivers, as outlined by Paragraph 3745-1-05 (D) of the Antidegradation Rule (effective as of May 1, 1998), apply or may be granted by the Director of Ohio EPA.

Starting December 10, 2002, copies of the application for the certification and technical support information may be inspected at Ohio EPA/DSW, Lazarus Government Center, 122 South Front Street, Columbus, Ohio, by first calling (614) 644-2001. Applications can be made available at Ohio EPA District Offices by calling the same number.

Persons wishing to 1) be on Ohio EPA's interested parties mailing list for this project, 2) request a public hearing, or 3) submit written comments for Ohio EPA's consideration in reviewing the application should do so in writing to Ohio EPA/DSW, Attention: Permits Processing Unit, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 within 30 days of the date of this public notice.

**Date of Public Notice: December 13, 2002**

**Gallia County**

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF 401 APPLICATION**

Public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Division of Surface Water (DSW) has received an application for, and has begun to consider whether to issue or deny, a Clean Water Act Section 401 certification for a project to surface mine approximately 46 acres, impacting 2,627 linear feet of streams and 0.029 acres of wetlands. The application was submitted by the Sands Hill Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 650, 38701 State Route 160, Hamden, Ohio 45634. The project is located in Huntington Township, along Hartsook Road and west of Mt. Tabor Road. The Huntington District Corps of Engineers is considering a NWP 21 for this project. The Ohio EPA ID No. for this project is 022297.

The discharges from the activity, if approved, would result in degradation to, or lowering of, the water quality of unnamed tributaries to Little Raccoon Creek in the Southeast Ohio River Basin watershed (HUC 05090101). The review of the application will be conducted, and a decision whether to grant or deny the application will be made, in accordance with Chapters 3745-1 and 3745-32 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, an antidegradation review of the application will be conducted before deciding whether to allow a lowering of the water quality. Other alternatives resulting in lesser or no degradation, or lowering of water quality, will be considered by Ohio EPA during the review process.

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Persons wishing to 1) be on Ohio EPA's interested parties mailing list for this project, 2) request a public hearing, or 3) submit written comments for Ohio EPA's consideration in reviewing the application should do so in writing to Ohio EPA/DSW, Attention: Permits Processing Unit, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 within 30 days of the date of this public notice.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**OHIO EPA ISSUES FINAL RENEWAL HAZARDOUS WASTE PERMIT**

On December 5, 2002, Ohio EPA issued a final renewal hazardous waste facility installation and operation permit (Permit) to Ashland Distribution Company for its facility at 2854 Springboro Pike, Dayton, Ohio 45439. The EPA Identification Number for this facility is OHD074700311.

**Why does Ashland Distribution Company need this Permit?**

Ashland Distribution Company is a collection and storage facility for hazardous and non-hazardous wastes generated by Ashland's customers. There are two (2) container storage units which include the South storage area and the West storage area. Both areas are located in the Main Warehouse Building. To store the hazardous wastes, Ashland Distribution Company needs a Permit. To issue this final renewal Permit, Ohio EPA determined that the Permit application is complete and meets appropriate standards and that the applicant has a history of compliance with relevant environmental laws, given the potential for harm to the public health and safety and the environment that could result from the irresponsible operation of the facility. The final Hazardous Waste permit contains the conditions under which the facility must operate. It will allow Ashland Distribution Company to continue to store hazardous waste in the designated areas. It will also require the company to investigate and, if necessary, clean up any contamination from hazardous wastes or constituents from waste management units that may be at the facility.

**Can I appeal this permit?**

Yes, if you are an officer of an agency of the state or of a political subdivision, acting in a representative capacity, or any person who would be aggrieved or adversely affected by this renewal Permit, you have the right to appeal this permit decision to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission (ERAC).

**If I decide to appeal this final renewal Permit, how and when must I make the appeal?**

If you file an appeal, you must put it in writing no later than January 5, 2003. Your appeal must explain why you are appealing the action and the grounds you are using for your appeal. You must file your appeal with ERAC at the following address: ***Environmental Review Appeals Commission***, 236 E. Town Street, Room 300, Columbus, Ohio 43215. You must send a copy of the appeal to the director of Ohio EPA at the following address no later than three (3) days after you file it with ERAC: ***Christopher Jones, Director of Ohio EPA***, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049.

**Ohio EPA PTI No. 02-16878**

**Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Draft Permit to Install**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Draft Permit to Install for wastewater treatment and/or disposal facilities

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency  
Permits Section  
122 South Front Street  
P.O. Box 1049  
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049  
(614) 644-2001

Public Notice No. 02-12-025  
Date of Issue of Public Notice: December 10, 2002

Name and Address of Applicant; PortageCounty Board of Commissioners, 449 South Meridian Street, Ravenna, OH, 44266-1217

Name and Address of Facility Where Discharge Occurs: Portage Co Randolph WWTP, 1 mile north of US 224 and 0.5 mile west of SR 44, Randolph Township, OH,

Receiving Water: Congress Lake Outlet

Public notice is hereby given that Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA)-Division of Surface Water (DSW) has issued a draft permit-to-install (PTI) for the construction of the wastewater treatment works/disposal system for the above referenced project. Ohio EPA has made a determination that the wastewater discharge from this proposed facility would result in degradation to or lowering of the water quality of Congress Lake Outlet. After considering the technical, economic, and social aspects of this project, the Director of the Ohio EPA has decided to make the preliminary determination to allow this degradation. However, the chemical-specific water quality standards developed to protect aquatic life and human health, set forth in Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-1, will not be exceeded.

In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, Ohio EPA will provide an opportunity for public comment concerning this project. Comments received shall be considered by the Director before the permit is issued as final. Any person may submit written comments on the draft permit and administrative record and may request a public hearing. A request for public hearing shall be in writing and shall state the nature of the issues to be raised. In appropriate cases, including cases where there is significant public interest, the director may hold a public hearing on a draft permit or permits prior to final issuance of the permit

or permits. Written comments and/or public hearing requests must be received by the Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water no later than 30 days from the date of this public notice. Comments and/or public hearing requests should be delivered or mailed to both of the following locations: 1) Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Division of Surface Water, Permits Processing Unit, 122 South Front Street, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216 and 2) Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Northeast District Office, 2110 E. Aurora Road, Twinsburg, Ohio 44087. Comments received after this date may not be considered by the Director before issuing the final permit.

Copies of the draft Permit to Install and technical support information may be reviewed and/or copies made at the Ohio EPA Northeast District Office, 2110 E. Aurora Road, Twinsburg, OH, 44087, by first calling, 330-425-9171 to make an appointment.

**Date of Notice: December 10, 2002**

**Portage County**

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA)-Division of Surface Water (DSW) has scheduled a public hearing on the draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit 3PH00059 and draft Permit to Install (PTI) 02-16878 for the discharge from and construction of the proposed Randolph Wastewater Treatment Plant disposal system.

The disposal system is proposed to be located at State Route 44, Randolph Township, Portage County, Ohio. Treated wastewaters are proposed to be discharged into Congress Lake Outlet. The proposed discharges are to Congress Lake Outlet. The NPDES and PTI applications were submitted by Portage County Commissioners, 449 South Meridian Street, Ravenna, Ohio 44266.

The discharges from this facility, if approved, would result in degradation to, or lowering of, the water quality of Congress Lake Outlet. However, the chemical-specific water quality criteria developed to protect aquatic life and human health, set forth in OAC 3745-1-07, will not be exceeded. In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, an antidegradation review of the application will be conducted before deciding whether to allow a lowering of the water quality.

The public hearing has been scheduled for January 27, 2003 at 7:00p.m. at the Randolph Town Hall, 1639 State Route 44, Randolph, Ohio 44265. The public hearing will end when everyone in attendance has had an opportunity to provide testimony related to the project.

All interested persons are entitled to attend or be represented and give written or oral comments on the project and all persons who do so may, in the discretion of the presiding officer, be questioned by other persons present. The purpose of the hearing is to obtain additional information that will be considered by the director of Ohio EPA prior to any further action on the application(s). Persons wishing to 1) be on Ohio EPA's interested parties mailing list for this project, or 2) submit comments for Ohio EPA's consideration must do so in writing to Ohio EPA-DSW, Permits Processing Unit, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049 by close of business on February 3, 2003. Comments received after this date may not be considered as part of the official record of this hearing.

Copies of the pending NPDES and PTI applications and technical support information may be reviewed and/or copies made at Ohio EPA's Northeast District Office, 2110 East Aurora Road, Twinsburg, Ohio, by first calling (330) 963-1200 to make an appointment.

**Date of Public Notice: December 12, 2002**

**Stark County**

**Public Notice  
Notice of Receipt of Public Application  
Antidegradation**

Public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA)-Division of Surface Water (DSW) has received an application for the initial issuance, of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit 3IN00338\*AD and Permit to Install Application 02-14348 for the discharge from the proposed Indian Run Sanitary Landfill sedimentation ponds. The NPDES application was submitted by Robert Konstand, President Indian Run Sanitary Landfill, 2500 Frist National Tower, Akron, Ohio 44308.

The preferred wastewater disposal alternative submitted for approval is proposed to treat a total of 361,000 gallons per day from ponds 1 and 2 of stormwater resulting from activities associated with the construction of solid waste cells at the landfill. The ponds are to receive only clean uncontaminated stormwater runoff. The stormwater retention ponds are located at 7392 Goodland Street, Waynesburg, Ohio. Treated stormwater is proposed to be discharged into Sandy Creek. Other wastewater disposal alternatives resulting in lesser or no degradation or lowering of water quality will be considered by Ohio EPA.

The discharge from this facility, if approved, would result in degradation to, or lowering of, the water quality of Sandy Creek. However, the chemical-specific water quality criteria developed to protect aquatic life and human health, set forth in OAC 3745-1, will not be exceeded. In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, an antidegradation review of the application will be conducted before deciding whether to allow a lowering of the water quality.

The contents of the above stated application(s) indicated an exclusion from various portions of the antidegradation review and information submittal requirements applies as outlined by section 3745-1-05 (D) (1) of the antidegradation rule (effective as of October 1, 1996). The exclusion relates to a de minimis net increase in the discharge of a regulated pollutant

Copies of the pending NPDES and PTI applications are available for review at Ohio EPA's Northeast District Office, 2110 E. Aurora Road, Twinsburg, Ohio, (330) 425-9171. Persons wishing to 1) be on Ohio EPA's interested parties mailing list for this project, or 2) submit comments for Ohio EPA's consideration in reviewing the application, or 3) request a public hearing must do so in writing to Ohio EPA's Division of Surface Water, Attention: Permits Processing Unit, Columbus, Ohio, 43216, within thirty days of the date of this public notice.

**Ohio EPA PTI No. 03-15435**  
**Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Draft Permit to Install**  
**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Draft Permit to Install for wastewater treatment and/or disposal facilities

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency  
Permits Section  
122 South Front Street  
P.O. Box 1049  
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049  
(614) 644-2001

Public Notice No. 02-12-038  
Date of Issue of Public Notice: December 13, 2002

Name and Address of Applicant; Olen Corporation, 4755 South High Street, Columbus, OH, 43207

Name and Address of Facility Where Discharge Occurs: The Olen Corporation Plant #6, 6326 County Road 6, Upper Sandusky, OH, 43351

Receiving Water: Sandusky River

Public notice is hereby given that Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA)-Division of Surface Water (DSW) has issued a draft permit-to-install (PTI) for the construction of the wastewater treatment works/disposal system for the above referenced project. Ohio EPA has made a determination that the wastewater discharge from this proposed facility would result in degradation to or lowering of the water quality of Sandusky River and subsequently Lake Erie. After considering the technical, economic, and social aspects of this project, the Director of the Ohio EPA has decided to make the preliminary determination to allow this degradation. However, the chemical-specific water quality standards developed to protect aquatic life and human health, set forth in Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-1, will not be exceeded.

In accordance with OAC 3745-1-05, Ohio EPA will provide an opportunity for public comment concerning this project. Comments received shall be considered by the Director before the permit is issued as final. Any person may submit written comments on the draft permit and administrative record and may request a public hearing. A request for public hearing shall be in writing and shall state the nature of the issues to be raised. In appropriate cases, including cases where there is significant public interest, the director may hold a public hearing on a draft permit or permits prior to final issuance of the permit or permits. Written comments and/or public hearing requests must be received by the Ohio

EPA, Division of Surface Water no later than 30 days from the date of this public notice. Comments and/or public hearing requests should be delivered or mailed to both of the following locations: 1) Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Division of Surface Water, Permits Processing Unit, 122 South Front Street, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216 and 2) Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Northwest District Office, 347 N. Dunbridge Road, Bowling Green, OH, 43402. Comments received after this date may not be considered by the Director before issuing the final permit.

Copies of the draft Permit to Install and technical support information may be reviewed and/or copies made at the Ohio EPA Northwest District Office, 347 N. Dunbridge Road, Bowling Green, OH, 43402, by first calling, 419-352-8461 to make an appointment.