## TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



## Notice of Application for a Coal Combustion Residuals Registration

## **Registration No. CCR101**

**Application.** Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a new Registration, to authorize the operation and expansion of an existing Coal Combustion Residuals (CCR) landfill for the disposal and/or management of CCR at 6549 Power Plant Road, La Grange, 78945, in Fayette County. TCEQ received the application on January 24, 2022. The following link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice: <a href="https://arcg.is/04G0Wb0">https://arcg.is/04G0Wb0</a>. For exact location, refer to application.

The executive director has completed the administrative and technical review of the application and prepared a draft registration. The draft registration, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate the CCR landfill. The executive director has made a preliminary decision that this registration, if issued, meets all the statutory and regulatory requirements. The registration application and subsequent modifications, executive director's preliminary decision, and draft registration are available for viewing and copying at the Fayette Public Library, 855 S. Jefferson St., La Grange, Fayette County, Texas 78945, and online at the facility's public website at <a href="https://www.lcra.org/energy/electric-power/facilities/fayette-power-project/">https://www.lcra.org/energy/electric-power/facilities/fayette-power-project/</a>.

**Public Comment/Public Meeting.** You may submit public comments or request a public meeting on this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. TCEQ holds a public meeting if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing. After the deadline for submitting public comments, the executive director will consider all timely public comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material or significant public comments. The comment period will end 30 days after this notice is published. The comment period will be extended to the close of any public meeting.

**Executive Director Action.** The executive director may issue final approval of the application. If the executive director acts on the application, the Office of the Chief Clerk shall mail or otherwise transmit notice of the action and an explanation of the opportunity to file a motion to overturn the executive director's decision to the applicant, persons who requested to be on the mailing list for this registration, who submitted comments during the public comment period, and the Office of the Public Interest Counsel.

**Information Available Online.** Details about the status of the application are available at the Commissioners' Integrated Database (CID) at <u>www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cid.</u> Enter into the TCEQ ID number field the registration number provided at the top of this notice.

**Mailing List.** If you submit public comments, you will be added to the mailing list for this application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and registration number; and/or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. To be placed on the

permanent and/or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s) and submit your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

Agency Contacts and Information. All public comments and requests must be received before the close of the public comment period either electronically at www14.tceq.texas.gov/epic/eComment/ or in writing to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. Please be aware that any contact information you provide, including your name, phone number, email address and physical address will become part of the agency's public record. Additional information about this registration application and the registration process is available from the TCEQ's Public Education Program by phone, Toll Free, at 800-687-4040 and online at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/pep. General information regarding the TCEQ is available at the TCEQ website at <u>www.tceq.texas.gov/</u>. *Si desea información en español, puede llamar al 800-687-4040*.

Further information is also available by mailing Lower Colorado River Authority at P.O. Box E, Bastrop, Texas, 78602 or by calling Ms. Wendy Schrieber, Manager, Plant Environmental Support at 830-596-7169.

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