

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**Air Quality Construction Permit For**  
**CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE – DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT**

The Department of Municipal Development of the City of Albuquerque has submitted an application for a modified air quality construction permit to the Air Quality Program (Program) of the City of Albuquerque Environmental Health Department. The application was received by the Program on June 17, 2020. The owner of the facility is City of Albuquerque (COA), Department of Municipal Development (DMD). The owner's address is One Civic Plaza NW, Albuquerque, New Mexico. The facility, COA, is located at One Civic Plaza NW, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102. This application file has been assigned **Permit Application No. 0994-M1**. The Program has made an affirmative administrative completeness determination and is providing this notice pursuant to 20.11.41.14 NMAC.

The applicant is requesting a modification to Permit #0994. The modification requests the following: (1) replace an existing 1,356 hp diesel-fired emergency engine with a new 1,482-hp diesel-fired emergency engine at their facility; and (2) operate a temporary 1,353-hp diesel-fired emergency engine, which will be removed once the permanent emergency engine is constructed and ready to operate.

The proposed air pollution maximum allowable emissions from this facility have been estimated to be:

POLLUTANT	Proposed Net Changes		Proposed Total Emissions <sup>1</sup>	
	(lbs/hr)	(tpy)	(lbs/hr)	(tpy)
Carbon Monoxide (CO)	-5.74	0.36	3.27	3.06
Nitrogen Oxides (NOx)	-11.84	-6.79	30.68 <sup>2</sup>	6.01 <sup>2</sup>
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs)	-2.95	-0.64	0.35	0.16
Sulfur Oxides (SO <sub>x</sub> )	-2.30	-0.63	0.50	0.07
Particulate Matter <10 microns (PM-10)	-2.51	-0.58	0.5	0.23
Particulate Matter <2.5 microns (PM-2.5)	-2.51	-0.58	0.5	0.23
Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAP)	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> The proposed total emissions in this notice could change slightly during the course of the Program's review of the application. The proposed total emissions in this table include the emissions from both engines (temporary and permanent). The total emissions will lower once the temporary engine is removed from service.

<sup>2</sup> The NOx emissions once the temporary engine is removed from service are estimated to be 13.41 lbs/hr, and 3.85 tpy

The Program has conducted a preliminary review of the information submitted with the permit application. The Program's preliminary review of the information submitted with permit application included an evaluation of the emission rates and applicable requirements to determine compliance with the Title 20, New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC), Chapter 11, Part 41, and the New Mexico Air Quality Control Act.

A copy of the permit application, all supporting documentation, and the Program's technical analysis, if and when it is completed, may be inspected by the public at the Program offices at Room 3047, One Civic Plaza NW, Albuquerque, NM. Any person who wishes to receive notice of the availability of the Program's technical analysis for review and comment, must express request notice in writing to the Program at: Albuquerque Environmental Health Department, Air Quality Program – Permitting Section P.O. Box 1293, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103 before the end of the public comment period on August 23, 2020. The public will have no fewer than 30 days to submit written comments and evidence, request a public information hearing, or both on the permit application to the Program. Comments will be accepted and

considered if postmarked by the end of the public comment period. Formal action on the application will be reserved pending receipt and analysis of any additional details or information developed during the public comment period. Any person who does not participate in the permitting action will not receive notification of the Program's decision regarding the proposed permit, unless the person has delivered a written request for notice to the department. The application, all supporting documentation, and the public notice are available online at <http://www.cabq.gov/airquality/air-quality-permits>.

The Program shall hold a Public Information Hearing pursuant to 20.11.41.15 NMAC if the Director determines there is significant public interest and a significant air quality issue is involved.

The Program expects to issue, issue subject to conditions, or deny this application before October 15, 2020. The Program will not issue any air quality permit with or without conditions unless an air quality ambient impact dispersion modeling study, if deemed necessary by the Program, shows that the facility would not cause or contribute to a potential violation of air quality standards. If the Program issues the permit with conditions, the conditions will include those that limit the emissions, and conditions that will require recordkeeping and reporting to the Program to ensure compliance with federal and local air regulations.

The Program's offices are located at One Civic Plaza NW, Room 3047, Albuquerque, NM 87102. The Program's mailing address is Albuquerque Environmental Health Department, Air Quality Program – Permitting Section, PO Box 1293, Albuquerque, NM 87103.

For more information, contact Paul Puckett, Environmental Scientist at 505-228-3441 or [ppuckett@cabq.gov](mailto:ppuckett@cabq.gov).

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If you have a disability and require special assistance to participate, please contact Paul Puckett at 505-228-3441 as soon as possible before the deadline. Those in need of hearing assistance may call 711.