

PUBLIC NOTICE

Air Quality Construction Permit for Kirtland Air Force Base

Kirtland Air Force Base (Kirtland AFB) has submitted a construction air quality permit application to the Air Quality Program (Program) of the City of Albuquerque Environmental Health Department. The permit is for one (1) new 86.5 hp diesel-fired non-emergency engine located at the Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center's Bivouac Area 3, east of the intersection of Coyote Springs Rd and FR 24a (UTMN 3872956m, UTME 365241m). The owner of this facility is the U.S. Air Force – Kirtland Air Force Base, 2050 Wyoming Blvd. SE, Kirtland AFB, NM 87117. This application file has been assigned Permit #3366.

The engine is being used to simulate a remote environment for training purposes. It is the only power source for the activities occurring in this area making it the prime power source.

The maximum air pollution emissions to the atmosphere from this facility have been estimated to be:

POLLUTANT	Proposed Total Emissions	
	(lbs/hr)	(tpy)
Carbon Monoxide (CO)	0.58	0.14
Nitrogen Oxides (NO _x)	2.67	0.67
Sulfur Oxides (SO _x)	0.18	0.04
Total Suspended Particulate (TSP)	0.19	0.05
Particulate Matter <10 microns (PM-10)	0.19	0.05
Particulate Matter <2.5 microns (PM-2.5)	0.19	0.05
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC)	0.21	0.05

A copy of the permit application is available for inspection by the public at the Program offices. Interested persons may 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 on March 22, 2019. Formal action on the application will be reserved pending receipt and analysis of any additional details or information developed during the public comment period.

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 on or before May 6, 2019. 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 Program.

The Program's offices are located at 400 Marquette 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 call Regan Eyerman, Senior Environmental Health Scientist at (505) 767-5625 or reyerman@cabq.gov.

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