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Re: Permit to Construct Scrap Tire Collection and Processing Facility
Metro Energy Corp.
Chatham County, North Carolina
Permit No. 1908-TIRE-COLL-2010
Doc ID No. 10466

Dear Mr. Tucker:

Attached is the above referenced Permit to Construct. You should carefully review the permit and the North Carolina Solid Waste Solid Waste Rules (attached) addressing your facility.

Please note that Permit Condition No. 3 under Attachment 1 Part IV requires the following:

This permit shall not be effective unless the certified copy [attached at the back of this permit] is filed in the Register of Deeds Office and indexed in the grantor index under the name of the owner of the land in the county or counties in which the land is located. The certified copy of the permit, affixed with the Register's seal and the date, book, and page number of recording must be returned to the Division of Waste Management, within 30 (thirty) calendar days. If the Section does not receive the certified copy of the recorded permit within 30 calendar days of issuance of the permit, the permit is suspended and of no effect until the date the Section receives the certified copy of the recorded permit.

The following items should also be of special concern to you and are contained in Attachment 2 of the Permit to Construct:

1. The Permit to Construct does not authorize the facility for operation until you demonstrate that the facility has been constructed in accordance with the approved plans and the NC Solid Waste Rules. For your convenience, the portion of the rules pertaining to Scrap Tire Collection and Processing Facilities is attached.
2. The application for a Permit to Operate must demonstrate that the conditions of this permit are satisfied and Financial Assurance as required by state rules and statutes is

established with proof submitted to the Division in accordance with NCGS 130A-295.2.(f). The financial assurance must be continuously maintained for the duration of the facility in accordance with the applicable rules and statutes. The amount of financial assurance is contained in Attachment 2 of the permit.

3. Proof of ownership of the property on which the facility is constructed or legal right-of-entry and agreement in which the property owner acknowledges shared responsibility for the operation of the facility must be submitted with any application for the Permit to Operate.
4. Prior to operation, the permittee must acquire and maintain all other permits, licenses and authorizations necessary to properly operate the facility. All other permits, licenses and authorizations must be maintained current during the term of the Permit to Operate.

When facility construction is completed in accordance with the permit to construct, you must arrange with Robert Hearn, Environmental Senior Specialist for the facility, at 919.508.8525, to arrange a site inspection with you. You must demonstrate and provide written certification during the site inspection that the facility was constructed in accordance with the permit and approved documents.

Please note the following typographical errors in the permit that will be corrected with the issuance of any subsequent permits. These typographical errors have no bearing on the remaining conditions of the permit.

- Attachment 2, paragraph No. 5: the rule reference at the end of the sentence should read: NC Solid Waste Management Rule 15A NCAC 13B .0201(e) et seq.
- Attachment 3, paragraph No. 1: the reference to Attachment 3 in the last of the sentence should read Attachment 2.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have questions about the permit conditions or questions arise during construction, please contact either me at 919.508.8498 or Robert Hearn, Environmental Senior Specialist for the facility, at 919.508.8525.

Sincerely,

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Environmental Engineer

c: Paul Crissman, DWM
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Enclosure