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Permit to Operate  
Beaufort Transfer Station  
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DIVISION OF WASTE MANAGEMENT  
SOLID WASTE SECTION

**SOLID WASTE TRANSFER FACILITY**  
**Permit 0703T-Transfer-2012**

REPUBLIC SERVICES OF NORTH CAROLINA, LLC  
(LANDOWNER AND OPERATOR)

is hereby issued a

**PERMIT TO OPERATE**

BEAUFORT TRANSFER STATION  
(A SOLID WASTE TRANSFER FACILITY)

Located approximately 0.3 miles west of Flanders Filter Road (SR 1427), 500 Flanders Filter Road, in the City of Washington, Beaufort County, North Carolina, in accordance with Article 9, Chapter 130A, of the General Statutes of North Carolina and all rules promulgated thereunder and subject to the conditions set forth in this permit. The legal description of the site is identified on the deed recorded for this property listed in Attachment 1, Part III of this permit.

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**ATTACHMENT 1**

**PART I: Permitting History**

<b>Permit Type</b>	<b>Date Issued</b>	<b>Document ID</b>
Permit to Construct	September 16, 1994	
Permit to Operate	November 1, 1994	
Permit to Operate – Amendment	June 28, 1999	
Permit to Operate – Amendment	March 30, 2005	
Permit to Operate – Amendment	May 3, 2007	2247
Permit to Operate – Amendment and Change in Ownership	June 11, 2012	16618

The facility was previously permitted as follows:

1. The permittee in the Permit to Construct and Permit to Operate issued in 1994 was American Refuse Systems, Inc.
2. The permittee in the Permit to Operate Amendment issued in 1999 was Waste Management.
3. The permittee in the Permit to Operate Amendment issued in 2005 was Waste Management of the Carolina, Inc.
4. The permittee in the Permit to Operate Amendment issued in 2007 was Waste Industries, LLC.

**PART II: List of Documents for the Approved Plan**

1. Permit Submittal Document and Operations Plan for the Waste Management Beaufort County Transfer Station. Prepared by Marlowe, Drietzler & Associates, Raleigh, NC, for American Refuse Systems, Inc. September 7, 1994.
2. Facility construction site plan for the Waste Management Beaufort Transfer Station, received September 7, 1994, as the Permit to Construct documents.
3. Zoning approval letter from John Rodman, County Planner of Beaufort County. October 26, 1993.
4. Sedimentation & Erosion Control approval letter from Patrick H. McClain. January 3, 1994.
5. Review of Raleigh Central File records of inspections and phone conversation with Washington Regional Office staff the Waste Management Beaufort County Transfer Station of renewal of Permit 07-03T. June 28, 1999.

6. *Beaufort County Transfer Station Operations Plan*. Prepared by G. N. Richardson & Associates, Raleigh, NC. Prepared for Waste Industries. June 2005.
7. *Application for Permit Amendment and Change in Ownership, Beaufort County Transfer Station, Permit 07-3T*. Submitted by Republic Services of North Carolina, LLC. May 2, 2012. DIN 16617

**PART III: Properties Approved for the Solid Waste Facility**

Halifax County, NC Register of Deeds				
Book	Page	Grantor	Grantee	Acres
2075	434	Waste Management of Carolinas, Inc.	Waste Industries, LLC	9.14

**PART IV: General Permit Conditions**

1. This permit shall expire May 3, 2017. Pursuant to 15A NCAC 13B .0201(g), no later than December 3, 2016, the owner or operator must submit a request to the North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Division of Waste Management, Solid Waste Section (“Section”) for permit review and must update pertinent facility plans including, but not limited to, the facility operation and waste screening plans.
2. The persons to whom this permit is issued (“permittee”) are the owners and operators of the solid waste management facility.
3. (Intentionally blank)
4. (Intentionally blank)
5. By receiving waste at this facility the permittee shall be considered to have accepted the terms and conditions of this permit.
6. Operation of this solid waste management facility shall be in accordance with the North Carolina Solid Waste Management Rules, 15A NCAC 13B; Article 9 of the Chapter 130A of the North Carolina General Statutes (NCGS 130A-290, et seq.); the conditions contained in this permit; and the approved plan. Should the approved plan and the rules conflict, the Solid Waste Management Rules shall take precedence unless specifically addressed by permit condition
7. This permit is issued based on the documents submitted in support of the application for permitting the facility including those identified in Attachment 1, Part II, “List of Documents for Approved Plan,” and which constitute the approved plan for the facility. Where discrepancies exist, the most recent submittals and the Conditions of Permit shall govern.

8. This permit may be transferred only with the approval of the Section, through the issuance of a new or substantially amended permit in accordance with applicable statutes and rules. In accordance with NCGS 130A-295.2(g) the permittee shall notify the Section thirty (30) days prior to any significant change in the identity or business structure of either the owner or the operator, including but not limited to a proposed transfer of ownership of the facility or a change in the parent company of the owner or operator of the facility.
9. The permittee is responsible for obtaining all permits and approvals necessary for the development of this project including approval from appropriate agencies for a General or Individual National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Stormwater Discharge Permit. Issuance of this permit does not remove the permittee's responsibilities for compliance with any other local, state or federal rule, regulation, or statute.

*- End of Section -*

## ATTACHMENT 2

### Conditions of Permit to Construct

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*-End of Section-*

## ATTACHMENT 3

### Conditions of Permit to Operate

#### **PART I: Operation Conditions**

1. The facility is permitted to receive solid waste as defined in NCGS 130A-290 (a) (35).
2. The following, at a minimum, must not be accepted for disposal at this facility: hazardous waste, yard trash, liquid wastes, regulated medical waste, sharps not properly packaged, regulated-asbestos containing material as defined in 40 CFR 61, and PCB waste as defined in 40 CFR 761. Wastes banned from landfill disposal in North Carolina by NCGS 130A-309.10 (f) must not be transferred for landfill disposal.
3. This facility may receive solid waste that is generated within Beaufort, Bertie, Craven, Chowan, Hyde, Martin, Pamlico, Pitt, Terrell, and Washington Counties in North Carolina. The estimated acceptance rate is 130 tons per day. Proposed changes to the service area must be approved by the Section and will constitute a permit modification and be subject to the applicable permitting fee.
4. Waste must be transported for disposal to the East Carolina Environmental Regional Landfill (Permit 08-03) in Bertie County, NC; the Upper Piedmont Regional Landfill (Permit 73-04) in Person County, NC; or the Brunswick Waste Facility (Sanitary Landfill Permit #583) in Lawrenceville, VA. Waste must not be transported to facilities that are not permitted to accept the waste. Proposed changes to the disposal facility must be approved by the Section and will constitute a permit modification and be subject to the applicable permitting fee.
5. The permittee must not knowingly dispose of, or accept for transfer for subsequent disposal, municipal solid waste that is generated within the boundaries of a unit of local government that by ordinance:
  - a. Prohibits generators or collectors of municipal solid waste from disposing of that type or form of municipal solid waste.
  - b. Requires generators or collectors of municipal solid waste to recycle that type or form of municipal solid waste.

6. A responsible individual trained in facility operations must be on-site during all times during operating hours of the facility, in accordance with NCGS 130A-309.25. An attendant must be present to oversee the loading and unloading of waste.
7. The permittee must develop, and use, a training and screening program at the facility for detecting and preventing unauthorized wastes from being accepted at the facility. At a minimum, the program must include:
  - a. Random inspections of incoming loads or other comparable procedures.
  - b. Records of all inspections.
  - c. Training of personnel to recognize hazardous, liquid, and other excluded waste types.
  - d. Development of a contingency plan to properly manage any identified hazardous, liquid, or other excluded or unauthorized wastes. The plan must address the identification, removal, storage, and final disposition of these wastes.
8. The facility must not cause nuisance conditions.
  - a. The tipping floor and transfer trailer loading area must be maintained in a clean, sanitary condition at all times and must be cleaned at least daily in accordance with the approved Operation Plan.
  - b. Waste must only be deposited on a “tipping floor” or directly into a transfer container. Waste must not be stored on the “tipping floor” after operating hours.
  - c. Waste may be stored onsite in leak-proof transfer trailers, with watertight covers, a maximum of 24 hours, except that a minimal amount of waste may be stored for a maximum of 72 hours when the facility is closed during a weekend or holiday. Storage of the waste must not cause any nuisance, such as odor or the attraction of vectors.
  - d. Effective vector control measures must be applied at all times to control any potential vectors including flies, rodents, insects, and other vermin.
  - e. Control measures must be utilized to minimize and eliminate visible dust emissions and blowing litter.
    - i. Fugitive dust emissions are prohibited.
    - ii. Windblown materials must be collected by the end of the day and no windblown material may be allowed to leave the facility boundary.
9. All water that comes in contact with solid waste, including vehicle wash-down water, is leachate and must be captured and properly treated before release to the environment.
  - a. The leachate control system; such as floor drains, leachate collection devices, sanitary sewer connections and leachate storage tanks; must be operational during facility operations.
  - b. The tipping floor must drain away from the building entrance and into the leachate collection system.
10. All sedimentation and erosion control activities must be conducted in accordance with the Sedimentation Control Act NCGS 113A-50, et seq., and rule promulgated under 15A NCAC 4.

11. Copies of this permit, the approved plans, and all records required to be maintained by the permittee must be maintained at the facility, unless otherwise approved by the Section, and made available to the Section upon request during normal business hours.
12. The permittee must maintain a record of the amount of solid waste received at the facility including daily records of waste received and origins of the loads. Scales must be used to weigh the amount of materials received. The daily records should be summarized into a monthly report for use in the required annual reports.
13. On or before August 1 annually, the Permittee must submit an annual facility report to the Solid Waste Section, on forms prescribed by the Section.
  - a. The reporting period shall be for the previous year beginning July 1 and ending June 30.
  - b. The annual facility report must list the amount of waste received in tons and be compiled:
    - i. On a monthly basis.
    - ii. By county, city or transfer station of origin.
    - iii. By specific waste type.
    - iv. By receiving disposal facility.
    - v. By diversion to alternative management facilities.
  - c. The completed report must be forwarded to the Regional Environmental Specialist for the facility by the date due on the prescribed annual facility report form.
  - d. A copy of the completed report must be forwarded to each county manager for each county from which waste was received at the facility. Documentation that a copy of the report has been forwarded to the county managers must be sent to the Regional Environmental Specialist by the date due on the prescribed annual facility report form.
14. Financial assurance as required by state rules and statutes must be established and be continuously maintained for the duration of the facility in accordance with the applicable rules and statutes

**PART II: Miscellaneous Solid Waste Management Conditions**

(Not applicable)

*- End of Permit Conditions -*