

PUBLIC NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATION BY SCSWA OF LAS CRUCES & DONA ANA COUNTY FOR A SOLID WASTE FACILITY TRANSFER STATION PERMIT FOR THE CHAPARRAL COLLECTION AND RECYCLING CENTER, CHAPARRAL, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NM

Pursuant to Section 22 of the New Mexico (NM) Solid Waste Act (Section 74-9-22 NMSA 1978) and 20.9.3.8.G and 20.9.3.24 NMAC (NM Solid Waste Rules), notice is hereby given to the public and other affected individuals and entities that the South Central Solid Waste Authority (SCSWA), owner of the Chaparral Collection and Recycling Center (CCRC), has filed an Application, with the Solid Waste Bureau (SWB) of the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) for a solid waste facility transfer station permit for CCRC. The Application may be reviewed at SCSWA as listed in Section 1, and the NMED address listed in Section 5 of this Notice. Pertinent information required by the Act and the Rules are as follows.

1. Name, Address, and Phone Number of the Applicant and Contact Person:

Applicant/Owner of the CCRC:

South Central Solid Waste Authority
2865 W. Amador
Las Cruces, NM 88005
575.528.3582

Contact Person: Suzanne Michaels
Marketing Manager
Phone: 575.528.3800

2. Anticipated Start-Up Date and Planned Hours of Operation:

CCRC is an existing collection center owned and operated by SCSWA. CCRC has been in operation since 2016. It is operated in compliance with the Collection Center Registration granted by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Solid Waste Bureau (SWB) on December 12, 2016 pursuant to the New Mexico Solid Waste Rules (NMSWR, 20.9.2-20.9.10 NMAC). Current operating hours for the CCRC are 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The CCRC is closed on Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, and New Year's Day. The CCRC may operate outside of scheduled operating hours to accommodate site preparation, inclement weather conditions, special projects, infrastructure construction, internal operation/projects, maintenance, monitoring and other special circumstances.

3. Description of the Facility:

a. General Process. The Chaparral Collection and Recycling Center is an existing collection center that receives and processes solid waste received from the public. Solid waste is placed in transfer trailers within the transfer station building and transported to the Corralitos Regional Landfill for disposal. Recyclables are transported to the Las Cruces Recycling Center.

b. Location. The CCRC is located at 180 Chaparral Drive, west of McCombs Road and north of the State Line Drive, in Chaparral, Doña Ana County, New Mexico 88081

c. Size. The CCRC "solid waste facility" (20.9.2.7.S(11) NMAC) footprint encompasses approximately 10± acres.

d. Quantities and Rate of Solid Waste. CCRC currently receives an average of approximately 82 tons of solid waste per day (approximately 28,700 tons/year) and may receive more or less solid waste depending upon market conditions.

e. Types of Solid Waste. Municipal solid waste, household hazardous waste, yard waste, recyclable materials, metal, and scrap tires.

4. Anticipated Origin of Waste: The wastes received originate primarily from Doña Ana County, Otero County, and Texas.

5. Comments: Questions or comments regarding the Application should be directed to Suzanne Michaels, Marketing Manager, at the address provided in Section 1 of this Notice and to NMED at the following address:

Mr. George Schuman
Manager, Permit Section
NMED - Solid Waste Bureau
P.O. Box 5469
Santa Fe, NM 87502-5469
Phone: 505-827-2328 or 505-827-0197

Copy of Application at this NMED location:
NMED – Harold Runnels Building
1190 St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505
Phone: 505-827-0197

The Permit Application may also be reviewed at the offices of the South Central Solid Waste Authority, located at 2865 W. Amador Avenue, Las Cruces, NM between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The Act, the Rules, and the NMED Permit Procedures (20.1.4 NMAC) are available at the NMED Solid Waste Bureau's web page at: <https://www.env.nm.gov/solid-waste/rules-and-statutes/>