

NOTICE OF THE OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
AIR PROTECTION BRANCH

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF DOUGLAS
NOTICE OF NAA-NSR PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION AND DRAFT AIR QUALITY PERMIT

To All Interested Parties:

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) announces its intent to issue Non-Attainment Area New Source Review (NAA-NSR) Permit No. 2679-097-0089-P-01-0. The new facility will be located at 600 Riverside Parkway, Building A, Lithia Springs, Georgia. The facility will be a flexographic printing facility.

The primary purpose of this permit is to allow the construction and operation of a lithographic printing press and a lithographic printing plate processor with associated storage tanks. This permit will be enforceable by the Georgia EPD, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and other persons as otherwise authorized by law.

The draft permit, NAA-NSR Preliminary Determination, and all information used to develop the draft permit are available for review. This includes the application and all other relevant materials available to the permitting authority. This information is available for review at the office of the Air Protection Branch, 4244 International Parkway, Atlanta Tradeport - Suite 120, Atlanta, Georgia 30354. A copy of the application may also be available for review at the Lithia Springs Public Library, 7100 Turner Drive, Lithia Springs, Georgia (Telephone: 770-944-5941), along with a copy of the draft permit and NAA-NSR Preliminary Determination. Electronic files of the application, draft Air Quality permit, NAA-NSR Preliminary Determination will be available through our internet site <http://epd.georgia.gov/air/psd112gnaa-nsrpcp-permits-database>. (Please note that the Internet is generally accessible from most public libraries in Georgia.)

If copies are desired, a copying machine for public use is provided by EPD at the Atlanta Air Protection Branch office. There will be a copying charge of \$0.10 per page. Copies will be made on a first-come, first-served basis. Files are available for review and copying 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday - Friday, excluding holidays.

You are hereby notified of the opportunity to submit written public comments concerning the draft Air Quality Permit and the Preliminary Determination concerning the permit. The Preliminary Determination is a summary of the technical review of the application and contains a copy of the Company's application along with supporting documents and the draft Permit. Persons wishing to comment on the draft Permit and Preliminary Determination are invited to submit their comments, in writing, to EPD at the Atlanta address above, postmarked no later than 30 days after the date of publication in the newspaper. All comments postmarked on or prior to that date will be considered by the Division in making its final decision on the permit.

The Division has concluded that WestRock CP, LLC – Lithia Springs’s application should be approved and that a permit should be granted. This conclusion is based upon evidence that the proposed project will comply with the Division's Rules and Regulations for Air Quality Control, Chapter 391-3-1; and will comply with the Federal NAA-NSR regulations, 40 CFR 51.165, including the use of Best Available Control Technology (BACT) for regulated pollutants.

Potential emissions of particulate matter, nitrogen oxides, sulfur dioxides, carbon monoxide, from the proposed project do not exceed the significant emission levels established by the NAA-NSR regulation. The potential emission of VOC from the proposed project exceed the significant emission levels established by the NAA-NSR regulation. The Division has determined that these emissions will not cause an adverse impact on ambient air quality, and the air quality levels should pose no significant health risk around the facility.

Any requests for a public hearing must be made in writing within the 30-day public comment period. Such requests should specify in detail the portion of the Air Quality Control Rules which the individual believes may not have been adequately reviewed. A public hearing may be held if the Director of the EPD finds that such a hearing would assist the EPD in a proper review of the facility’s capability to comply with the requirements of Federal and State Air Quality Control regulations. State laws specify that a permit shall be issued on evidence satisfactory to the Director of compliance with applicable State and Federal regulations and requirements.

After the comment period has expired, the EPD will consider all comments, make any necessary changes, and issue the Air Quality Permit and a Final Determination. Copies of the final Air Quality Permit, Final Determination, comments received, EPD’s responses to comments, and any other relevant information will then be made available for public review during normal business hours at the office of the Air Protection Branch, as well as at the Internet addresses given above.

For additional information, contact Eric Cornwell, Program Manager, Stationary Source Permitting Program, at the Atlanta address, or by phone at 404/363-7000. Please refer to this notice when requesting information.