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Gabriel Menendez
City Engineer
City of Bainbridge
101 South Broad Street
Bainbridge, Georgia 39817

**SUBJECT: Decatur County - Bainbridge Avenue C Inert Landfill
Permit No. 043-012D(IN)
Solid Waste Handling Permit**

Dear Mr. Menendez:

Your application for a Solid Waste Handling Permit, including the necessary supplemental data for your operation, has been reviewed and approved.

Your Permit No., 043-012D(IN), is attached and includes conditions and limitations for your operation.

Personnel of the Environmental Protection Division will make periodic inspections of your operations. These inspections will be discussed with you or your designated representative.

This permit is now in effect; however, under Georgia Law it is subject to appeal for a period of thirty (30) days following its issuance and is subject to modification or possible vacation if appealed. Should an appeal be received within the thirty (30) day appeals period, you will be immediately notified and further construction or operation under this permit may not be undertaken until such time as the appeals process is concluded.

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact Keith Stevens at (470) 251-2515 or at Keith.Stevens@dnr.ga.gov.

Sincerely,



William Cook
Program Manager
Solid Waste Management Program

Enclosures: Permit with conditions

Cc: Keith Stevens; Beverly Tipton; EPD
Miranda Anderson, EPD
Lisa Myler; Southwest District EPD Office

File: GEOS ID: 499668

PERMIT NO.: 043-012D(IN)
ISSUANCE DATE: 06/10/2022



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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION LAND PROTECTION BRANCH Solid Waste Handling Permit

Permittee Name: **City of Bainbridge**

Permittee Address: **City of Bainbridge City Hall
101 Broad Street
Bainbridge, Georgia 39817**

In accordance with the provisions of the Georgia Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Act, and the Rules promulgated pursuant thereto, this permit is issued for the following operation:

**Decatur County – Bainbridge Avenue C Inert Landfill located at 1009 Avenue C,
Bainbridge, Georgia. (Latitude 30.8808, Longitude -84.5874)**

This permit is conditioned upon the permittee complying with the attached conditions of operation, which are hereby made a part of this permit.

All statements in the application and supporting evidence, information, and data submitted to the Environmental Protection Division of the Department of Natural Resources have been evaluated, considered, and relied upon in the issuance of this permit.

This permit is now in effect; however, under Georgia law it is subject to appeal for 30 days following issuance and is subject to modification or revocation on evidence of noncompliance: (i) with any provision of the Act or of the Rules promulgated pursuant thereto; or (ii) with any representation made in the above mentioned application or the statements and supporting data entered therein or attached thereto; or (iii) with any condition of this permit.



A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'R. Dunn'.

Richard E. Dunn, Director
Environmental Protection Division

Conditions for Inert Waste Landfill (Page 1 of 2):

1. The Design and Operation Plan approved by the Environmental Protection Division on May 18, 2021 is hereby made a part of this permit and the inert waste landfill shall be operated in accordance with the approved plan. Conditions of this permit supersede any provisions of the plan which may conflict.
2. Only waste that will not or is not likely to produce leachate of environmental concern may be disposed. Only earth and earth-like products, concrete, cured asphalt, rock, bricks, yard trimmings, and land clearing debris such as stumps, limbs, and leaves are acceptable.
3. The Permittee shall fully satisfy all applicable financial responsibility requirements for closure and post-closure care in accordance with Solid Waste Rule 391-3-4-.13.
4. Prior to receipt of waste, a professional engineer licensed to practice in Georgia shall provide the EPD with written certification that the facility has been constructed in accordance with the permit. This process shall be repeated for each subsequent major construction phase.
5. No portion of the disposal area shall be located within one hundred linear feet of any property line or enclosed structure.
6. Site survey control shall be provided and maintained to ensure compliance with the approved Design and Operation Plan.
7. Signs shall be posted at the entrance to the facility stating the days and hours of operation and the type of material accepted for disposal.
8. Access to the inert waste landfill shall be limited to authorized entrances which shall be closed when the facility is not in operation.
9. Inert waste shall be spread in layers and compacted to the least practical volume. A uniform compacted layer of clean earth cover no less than one (1) foot in depth shall be placed over all exposed inert waste material at least monthly.
10. All surface runoff from disturbed areas must be controlled by use of appropriate erosion and sedimentation control measures or devices. Best management practices (BMPs) from the Manual for Erosion and Sediment Control in Georgia shall be utilized.
11. The inert waste landfill site shall be graded and drained to minimize runoff onto the landfill surface, to prevent erosion, and to drain water from the surface of the landfill.
12. Suitable measures to control fires that may start shall be provided. Stockpiled soil is considered to be the most satisfactory fire-fighting material

Conditions for Inert Waste Landfill (Page 2 of 2):

13. Operation and management of the inert landfill shall be under the supervision and control of a responsible individual properly trained in the operation of such a facility at all times during operation.
14. Operations shall be conducted at all times in such a manner as to prevent air, water, and land pollution as well as public health hazards and nuisances.
15. The permittee, or its designated agent, shall be responsible for conducting all monitoring in accordance with the approved methane gas monitoring plans.
16. All wastes received at the landfill must be measured and reported as required by Rule 391-3-4-.17.
17. Records documenting compliance with the Rules for Solid Waste Management shall be kept for a minimum of three (3) years from the date of the record and be in a form suitable for submission or inspection by the Environmental Protection Division.
18. A uniform compacted layer of final cover not less than two (2) feet in depth and a vegetative cover shall be placed over the final lift not later than one month following final placement of inert waste within that lift.
19. Notice of final closure must be provided to the Director within thirty (30) days of receiving the final load of waste. Any site not receiving waste for in excess of 180 days shall be deemed abandoned and in violation unless properly closed. Notice of closure must include the date of final waste receipt and an accurate legal description of the boundaries of the landfill.
20. Concurrent with the notice of final closure, confirmation must be provided to the Director that all deeds for real property which have been used for landfilling include notice of the landfill operations, the date the landfill operation commenced and terminated, an accurate legal description of the actual location of the landfill, and a description of the type of solid wastes which have been deposited in the landfill.
21. This permit shall become null and void if construction of the permitted disposal facility has not commenced within one year from the effective date and if the disposal operation has not commenced within two years from the effective date, unless extended by the Director.
22. The Permittee shall comply with all other applicable state and local laws, rules and ordinances which are not incorporated as conditions of this permit, but which are separately enforced by the relevant state or local agency with jurisdiction.