

**EPD PUBLIC NOTICE
GEORGIA AIR PROTECTION BRANCH**

**NOTICE OF DRAFT SYNTHETIC MINOR AND SIP OPERATING PERMITS AND PERMIT
MODIFICATIONS
GEORGIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
AIR PROTECTION BRANCH
4244 INTERNATIONAL PARKWAY, SUITE 120, ATLANTA, GA 30354**

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division announces its intent to issue initial Major Source SIP Permit for the following facility. The deadlines for submitting comments are specified for each facility.

MAJOR SOURCE SIP PERMITS

RICHMOND COUNTY

Facility Name: Aurubis Richmond, LLC

Application No: 28364

Facility Address: Valencia Way (Augusta Corporate Pkwy), Augusta,

EPD Notice Type: Proposed Permit

Description of Operation: Copper recycling and Secondary Copper Smelter

Reason for Application: Copper recycling and secondary copper smelter.

Comment period expires on: September 5, 2022

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: The draft permits and permit amendments and all information used to develop the draft permits and permit amendments are available for review. This includes the application, all relevant supporting materials and all other materials available to the permitting authority used in the permit review process. This information is available for review at the office of the Air Protection Branch, 4244 International Parkway, Suite 120, Atlanta, Georgia 30354. Copies of the draft permits or permit amendments, narratives, and (in most cases) permit applications are also available at our Internet site <https://epd.georgia.gov>. The direct link to the draft permits and amendments is <https://epd.georgia.gov/draft-title-v-permitsamendments-other-draft-permits>.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all visits to EPD's offices are by appointment only. To set an appointment, email askep@dnr.ga.gov with your name, email, and phone number, and an associate will reach out to you. Copies of the draft permit, explanatory narrative, and associated permit application may also be requested by contacting Stephen Damaske, stephen.damaske@dnr.ga.gov.

Persons wishing to comment on a draft Synthetic Minor Permit, State Implementation Plan (SIP) Construction and Operating Permit, or other SIP Permit proceedings are required to submit their comments in writing. To comment, send written comments via email to epdcomments@dnr.ga.gov (include "Air permit application" in the subject line) or by mail to Air Permit Manager, 4244 International Parkway, Suite 120, Atlanta, Georgia 30354.

To provide the public an opportunity to comment upon and provide input into the draft permit, a public hearing will be held at 6:00 p.m. on August 29, 2022. EPD will be hosting this public hearing via Zoom. Zoom is a free web conferencing platform that also allows participation by phone.

To log into the public hearing on your computer, please click this link or copy and paste it into your browser to join the meeting:

<https://gaepd.zoom.us/j/96414521040?pwd=TzVGOVo5UFVQS1dXUDA2Z01tekNQdz09>

To ensure that you are ready to participate when the meeting begins, we recommend that you download Zoom in advance. Zoom can be found here: <https://zoom.us>

To dial in by phone, please call this number: 888-788-0099 (Toll free). When prompted, enter the Meeting ID and/or Passcode shown below.

The meeting ID: 964 1452 1040

Passcode: 773353

Please note that if you choose to participate by phone, your phone number may be visible to other meeting attendees.

During the hearing, anyone may present data, make a statement, comment, or offer a viewpoint or argument either orally or in writing concerning the draft permit. Oral statements should be concise. Lengthy statements or statements of a considerable technical or economic nature, as well as previously recorded messages, must be submitted in writing for the official record. During the Division's decision-making procedures to issue the permit, any information received during the public hearing will be considered together with information received during the comment period.

Comments must be received by no later than the deadline indicated for the particular facility. (Should the comment period end on a weekend or holiday, comments will be accepted up until the next working day.) All comments received on or prior to the deadline will be considered by the Division in making its final decision to issue the permit or permit amendment.

Issued (final) permits are available for public viewing at this link: <https://permitsearch.gaepd.org/>

For further information, email ask.epd@dnr.ga.gov or call (404) 363-7000.