

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department (LLCHD)

Notice is given to the public according to Article 2, Section 14 of the Lincoln- Lancaster County Air Pollution Control Program Regulations and Standards (LLCAPCPRS) of the preliminary determination by the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department (LLCHD) to approve the issuance of a revised Class I (Title V) Operating Permit to Archer Daniels Midland Company to operate the facility at 7800 Thayer Street, Lincoln, Nebraska. Issuance of the proposed permit allows for operation of the subject emission source within Federal, State and Local requirements. Listed below is information about emissions from the facility and points of contact for obtaining more information about the proposed permits.

- (1) The air contaminant emission source operating permit for Archer Daniels Midland Company permits the operation of a facility for which the primary nature of business falls under the following North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) category 311222: Soybean Processing.
- (2) A Class I (Title V) Operating Permit is required for this source because the facility has a maximum potential to emit Particulate Matter less than 10 micrometers in diameter (PM₁₀), Oxides of Sulfur (SO_x), Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs), Carbon Monoxide (CO), and Oxides of Nitrogen (NO_x) at quantities greater than 100 tons per year. This facility will be classified as a major source for Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs), because their emissions of the greatest single HAP will be greater than 10 tons per year, and the emissions of all combined HAPs will be greater than 25 tons per year. The primary HAP emitted is n-Hexane, which is used to extract oil from soybeans.
- (3) Modifications to the Title V operating permit were made to incorporate: 1) a previously issued Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) Construction Permit modification, 2) a modified construction permit issued for the grain elevator facility, and 3) removal of permit language regarding the vacatur of 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart DDDD.
- (4) The proposed operating permit and proposed PSD construction permit are available for inspection during business hours at the office of the LLCHD at 3140 "N" Street, Lincoln, NE 68510. Information may also be obtained on the World Wide Web at: <http://www.ci.lincoln.ne.us/city/health/envIRON/pollu/pn/index.htm>
Telephone inquiries may be made of Gary Bergstrom at (402) 441-6202. Please notify the Department if alternate formats of materials are needed. Contact phone number is (402) 441-8040 or (402) 441-6284 for TDD users.
- (5) Any interested agency, person, or group, may request or petition the Director of the LLCHD, in writing, within the 30 day comment period of the public notice, for a public hearing, and state the nature of the issues to be raised and all arguments and factual grounds supporting their position. The Director may hold a public hearing if the comments, requests, or petitions raise legal, policy or discretionary questions of general application not pertaining solely to a particular party and significant public interest exists with respect to the application.
- (6) In accordance with Article 2, Section 13 of the LLCAPCPRS, notice of the draft Class I (Title V) Operating Permit shall be given to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the Iowa Department of Natural Resources. Iowa will be notified because it is an affected state, i.e., a contiguous State within 50 miles of the permitted source. In addition to these agencies, notice will also be provided to the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality.

- (7) Comments may be submitted in writing, to the LLCHD prior to the close of the 30-day public notice period. Comments received during the 30-day public notice period, on or before February 28, 2009, will be considered prior to the final decision to issue the proposed permit. Comments should be mailed to:

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