

Public Notice

Iowa Department of Natural Resources

Notice is hereby given that the Iowa Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) has under review an application for an amended Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) air quality construction permit. The permit application was submitted by The University of Iowa (U of I) for their power plant located at 207 Burlington Street W, Iowa City, Iowa.

Based upon the information provided by the applicant, IDNR has determined that according to the PSD regulations the U of I is a "major stationary source". The permit application has met the requirements of 567 Iowa Administrative Code (IAC) Chapter 33.

This project is the addition of dry sorbent injection systems to Boiler 10 and Boiler 11 and two new sorbent storage silos. The dry sorbent injection systems will allow the U of I to meet HCl emission limits in the upcoming federal regulation for industrial boilers, 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart DDDDD. The U of I is also removing an electrostatic precipitator and adding a baghouse to Boiler 10.

An electronic copy of all the materials that the applicant has submitted, the draft permit, the Technical Support Document, the application, and all other correspondence is available for public inspection on the Air Quality Bureau website at

<https://programs.iowadnr.gov/airqualityconstructionpermits/Pages/PublicComment/Search.aspx>.

In addition, copies of all of the materials are at the following locations:

- The University of Iowa Main Library [100 Min Library (LIB), Iowa City, IA 52242-1420]
- Iowa Department of Natural Resources (Air Quality Bureau, 7900 Hickman Road, Suite #1, Windsor Heights, IA 50324)
- EPA Region VII (11201 Renner Boulevard, Lenexa, KS 66219)

A public comment meeting will be held for the purpose of receiving written and oral comments if there is interest in having one. Requests for a public hearing must be received in writing by the IDNR by June 25, 2015.

All comments not received at a public hearing shall be submitted in writing and must be submitted before 4:30 PM on the last day of the public comment period which will run from June 11, 2015 to July 11, 2015. Written and signed comments shall be directed to:

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Or emailed to: danjin.zulic@dnr.iowa.gov.

Any materials related to comments submitted by the public shall be included in full and not be incorporated by reference unless the material is already part of the administrative record or consists of State or Federal statutes and regulations, EPA documents of general applicability, or other available reference materials.

Upon a final decision on the project, all comments, Department responses, and the final documents will be available for public inspection at the Department address listed above and on the Air Quality Bureau website

(<https://programs.iowadnr.gov/airqualityconstructionpermits/Pages/PublicComment/Search.aspx>). In addition, all comments, Department responses, and the final documents will be available at EPA Region VII and The University of Iowa Main Library for thirty (30) days after the final decision.