

PROPOSED

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-

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2 A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY
3 COMMISSIONERS OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA,
4 RELATING TO LICENSING OF SIGNIFICANT
5 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT FACILITIES; AMENDING
6 SECTION 27.170 OF THE BROWARD COUNTY
7 ADMINISTRATIVE CODE ("ADMINISTRATIVE CODE"),
8 PROVIDING NOTICE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE
9 LICENSING OF SIGNIFICANT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT
10 FACILITIES; AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY,
11 INCLUSION IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, AND AN
12 EFFECTIVE DATE.

(Sponsored by Vice-Mayor Mark D. Bogen)

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
10 BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA:

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12 Section 1. Section 27.170 of the Broward County Administrative Code is hereby
13 amended to read as follows:

14 **27.170. Public Notices of Licensing Significant Environmental Impact Facilities.**

15 Applicants for a license required under Chapter 27 of the Broward County Code
16 of Ordinances to construct, operate, or make a ~~major~~ modification to a dump,
17 incinerator, resource recovery facility, sanitary landfill, or Significant Environmental
18 Impact Facility, as defined in this section, shall provide the public notices required herein
19 in addition to any other federal, state, or local notice requirements.

- 20 a. "Dump" means a site where trash, waste, refuse, rubbish, or garbage is
21 placed for disposal.
22 b. "Incinerator" means an apparatus for the burning of trash, waste, refuse,
23 rubbish, or garbage at high temperatures until it is reduced to ash.
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1 c. "Resource recovery facility" means a facility where energy is extracted
2 from solid waste. For purposes of this section, a "resource recovery
3 facility" shall not include facilities subject to the Florida Electrical Power
4 Plant Siting Act, Sections 403.501, et seq., Florida Statutes.

5 d. "Sanitary landfill" means an area of land or an excavation where waste
6 material is placed or has been placed for disposal.

7 e. "Significant Environmental Impact Facility" means:

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9 5. A dump, sanitary landfill, incinerator, or resource recovery facility,
10 as defined herein ("solid waste management facility"), that requires
11 a license under Section 27-216 of the Code of Ordinances;

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13 ~~b. f.~~ For Significant Environmental Impact Facilities other than solid waste
14 management facilities, ~~the~~ applicant shall provide the notices by regular
15 first class mail to the following persons:

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17 Property owners, names, and addresses for notice purpose shall be
18 determined in accordance with the current tax roll of Broward County,
19 Florida, unless the applicant has actual knowledge of a different property
20 owner. In the event the notification area includes land declared to be a
21 condominium or homeowners' association under Chapter 718 or 720,
22 Florida Statutes, notice shall be sufficient if provided to the condominium
23 or homeowners' association of record for the property.

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1 g. For solid waste management facilities, the applicant shall provide the
2 notices:

3 1. By regular first class mail to the mayor, each city commissioner or
4 council member, and the city administrator or city manager of any
5 municipality within Broward County and within a radius of four (4)
6 miles of the perimeter of the facility property boundary;

7 2. By email to the County Commissioners of districts for which any
8 portion of the district is within a radius of four (4) miles of the
9 perimeter of the facility property; and

10 3. By email to any unincorporated area neighborhood or civic
11 organization within a four (4) mile radius of the perimeter of the
12 facility property. The neighborhood or civic associations receiving
13 such notice shall be those listed on the "Neighborhood
14 Association/Civic Representatives List for the Unincorporated Area"
15 and as delineated on the "Unincorporated Neighborhood Map."
16 The neighborhood list and map shall be available for public
17 inspection, and changes may be made by the Director of the
18 Planning and Development Management Division.

19 In addition to the above-referenced notices provided by the applicant, the
20 Environmental Engineering and Permitting Division, or successor agency,
21 shall provide email notification to:

22 1. Board members of condominium and homeowners' associations
23 within Broward County and within a four (4) mile radius of the
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1 perimeter of the facility property who sign up with Broward County
2 to receive email notifications; and

3 2. Any other person who lives or owns property within Broward County
4 and within a four (4) mile radius of the perimeter of the facility
5 property who signs up with Broward County to receive email
6 notifications.

7 The foregoing notices provided by the Environmental Engineering and
8 Permitting Division are courtesy notifications and shall not affect the
9 validity of any action taken relative to an application under this part, and
10 failure to receive such notification shall not give rise to a cause of action
11 challenging action taken relative to the license under Section 27-216 of
12 the Code of Ordinances.

13 ~~e.~~ h. Notices shall include:

- 14 1. The location, description, and name of the subject facility;
- 15 2. The full and correct legal name of the applicant;
- 16 3. The type of license applied for;
- 17 4. The license number (if any); and
- 18 5. The address of the facility where the application, license, or intent
19 to issue a license is on file for examination or copying, and a phone
20 number for EPGMD where more information may be obtained.

21 ~~d.~~ i. The applicant and the Environmental Engineering and Permitting Division
22 shall mail or email (consistent with the requirements stated above) the
23 notices:

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- 1 1. Within nine (9) days after the filing of an application for licensing of
2 a Significant Environmental Impact Facility; and
3 2. Within nine (9) days after receipt of a license or intent to issue a
4 license.

5 However, no applicant shall mail notice on or within five (5) days prior to a
6 federal, state, or Broward County legal holiday. If a federal, state, or
7 Broward County legal holiday exists within the mailing period, notice shall
8 be mailed either at least six (6) days before the holiday or on the next
9 business day following the holiday.

10 ~~e.~~ j. Within seven (7) days after mailing or emailing each notice, the applicant
11 shall submit to EPGMD proof of notice by providing electronic copies of all
12 notices sent, together with an affidavit that the notices were mailed on the
13 date indicated on the notice.

14 ~~f.~~ ~~The following license applications, licenses, and intent to issue licenses~~
15 ~~shall not be subject to the notice requirements of this section:~~

- 16 1. ~~license renewals that do not include a major modification to the~~
17 ~~licensed facility or activity; and~~
18 2. ~~licenses issued pursuant to declaration of emergency by the~~
19 ~~Governor of Florida.~~

20 Section 2. SEVERABILITY.

21 If any portion of this Resolution is determined by any court to be invalid, the invalid
22 portion shall be stricken, and such striking shall not affect the validity of the remainder of
23 this Resolution. If any court determines that this Resolution, or any portion hereof, cannot
24 be legally applied to any individual(s), group(s), entity(ies), property(ies), or

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1 circumstance(s), such determination shall not affect the applicability hereof to any other
2 individual, group, entity, property, or circumstance.

3 Section 3. INCLUSION IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE.

4 It is the intention of the Board of County Commissioners that the provisions of this
5 Resolution shall become and be made a part of the Broward County Administrative Code;
6 and that the sections of this Resolution be renumbered or relettered and the word
7 "resolution" may be changed to "section," "article," or such other appropriate word or
8 phrase in order to accomplish such intentions.

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9 Section 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

10 This Resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

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12 ADOPTED this day of , 2018.

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15 Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:
16 Andrew J. Meyers, County Attorney

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17 By /s/ Maite Azcoitia 06/20/18
18 Maite Azcoitia (date)
19 Deputy County Attorney

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