

Proposed Company X Landfill Expansion Fact Sheet

Company X submitted an application for permits to expand the current landfill located at One Dove Street, Utopia, New York. Application ID# X-XXXX-XXXXX-XXXXX. As part of the application process, Company X is required to notify the public about this proposed expansion and give the public the opportunity to comment.

The proposed expansion would:

- increase landfill acreage from XX acres to XX acres;
- increase waste capacity from XX tons per day to XX tons per day
- increase the existing waste height by 100 feet.
- require the construction of additional structures, including a perimeter access road, a XX foot high perimeter noise wall and litter control fence, and a leachate collection system.

Why does Company X need to expand the landfill? The current landfill capacity is expected to run out in the year 2010. In order to accommodate the solid waste needs of the Utopia Region, the Landfill Expansion is expected to extend the capacity of the landfill through the year 2050.

How might the expansion affect the surrounding community? Certain environmental impacts are generally associated with landfill operation including, odor, truck traffic, and air pollution. The expansion will also require the taking of certain wetlands. Company X intends to implement measures that reduce or eliminate these impacts. For instance, Company X intends to develop gas collection and odor controls in accordance with the Odor Control Plan. If you are concerned about potential impacts, you may wish to get more information. See below to find out how to get more information.

How can I participate in the permit modification review process? You may provide comments to be considered in the permit modification review process, including comments on the development of mitigation measures, the operation and conditions of the landfill and any draft permits. Comments may be given at public meetings and in writing during public comment periods. Call the Company X contact listed below for information on meetings and comment period dates.

Where can I get more information about the proposed expansion?

- Visit the repositories. Key documents relating to the proposed expansion will be stored at the following repositories: the Utopia Public Library, the Utopia High School Main Office, the Office of the Concerned Citizens of Utopia and on the web at www.Utopia_landfill_expansion_info.org
- Attend a public meeting about the expansion. For information on the meeting date and location, please call the Company X contact listed below.
- Visit the NYSDEC website at <http://www.dec.state.ny.us/apps/envapps/index.cfm?view=wizard> and track permit progress by the Application ID# X-XXXX-XXXXX-XXXXX .
- Call or write to the Company X Contact: Name, Address, Phone number

Who is responsible for reviewing the permit application? The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC), Division of Environmental Permits, [Insert DEC Regional Office Address], is responsible for reviewing and issuing the required permits. Tel: [insert general phone #]