

The Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) has issued a research and demonstration project approval extension to Caldwell's, Inc. at 10911 North 600 East, Morristown, Indiana, Approval No. AP0018. This approval allows Caldwell's, Inc. to continue conducting a research and demonstration project involving composting using the aerated static pile composting method for an additional year. This project will determine if the aerated static pile process will reduce how long the curing process takes, provide more temperature control throughout the row, and eliminate the need to turn the compost; ultimately reducing the risk of odor. This project is approved to be conducted on property owned by Caldwell Land Co. II, LLC, and located at 11599 North 200 East, Morristown, Indiana. The approval establishes research goals, data collection, and reporting requirements for the project. For more specific information concerning the project, contact Christopher McMichael, Organics Manager, at (765) 561-1701 or [christopher@caldwells-inc.com](mailto:christopher@caldwells-inc.com). If you have any questions regarding the approval process, please contact Nick Meulen, the environmental manager assigned to this project, at (317) 233-2412 or [NMeulen@idem.IN.gov](mailto:NMeulen@idem.IN.gov). This approval is written in accordance with Indiana Administrative Code 327 IAC 6.1 and IC 13-30-2-1(7).

### **Appeal Procedures**

If you wish to challenge this decision, IC 13-15-6-1 and IC 4-21.5-3 require that you file a Petition for Administrative Review with the Office of Administrative Law Proceeding (OALP). If you seek to have the effectiveness of the permit stayed during the Administrative Review, you must also file a Petition for Stay (see 315 IAC 1-3-2). The Petition(s) must be submitted to the OALP at the address below within 15 days of the date of publication of this Notice:

Office of Administrative Law Proceeding  
100 North Senate Avenue, Suite N802  
Indianapolis, IN 46204

The Petition(s) must include facts demonstrating that you are either the applicant, a person aggrieved or adversely affected by the decision, or otherwise entitled to review by law. Identifying the permit, decision, or other order for which you seek review by permit number, name of the applicant, location, or date of this notice will expedite review of the petition. Additionally, IC 13-15-6-2 and 315 IAC 1-3-2 require that your Petition include:

1. the name, address, and telephone number of the person making the request;
2. the interest of the person making the request;
3. identification of any persons represented by the person making the request;
4. the reasons, with particularity, for the request;
5. the issues, with particularity, for the request;
6. identification of the terms and conditions which, in the judgment of the person making the request, would be appropriate in the case in question to satisfy the requirements of the law governing documents of the type granted or denied by the Commissioner's action; and

7. a copy of the pertinent portions of the permit, decision, or other order for which you seek review, at a minimum, the portion of the Commissioner's action that identifies the person to whom the action is directed and the identification number of the action.

Pursuant to IC 4-21.5-3-17, any document serving as a petition for review or review and stay must be filed with the OALP. Filing of such a document is complete on the earliest of the following dates:

1. the date on which the petition is delivered in person to the OALP, by the close-of-business;
2. the date of the postmark on the envelope containing the petition, if the petition is mailed by United States mail; or
3. the date on which the petition is deposited with a private carrier, as shown by a receipt issued by the carrier, if the petition is sent by private carrier;
4. Submitted using OALP's online petition form, available at <https://www.in.gov/oalp/>.

In order to assist permit staff in tracking any appeals of the decision, please provide a copy of your petition to Nick Meulen, IDEM, Solid Waste Permits, IGCN 1154, 100 North Senate Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46204-2251.

The OALP will provide you with notice of any pre-hearing conferences, preliminary hearings, hearings, stays, or orders regarding this decision if you submit a written request to the OALP. If you do not provide a written request to the OALP, you will no longer be notified of any proceedings pertaining to this decision.

For additional information on filing a petition with OALP, visit their website at [IN.gov/oalp](http://IN.gov/oalp).

Public records for this facility are available in IDEM's Virtual File Cabinet (VFC) at <http://vfc.idem.in.gov/>. Documents related to this approval can be found by selecting the "Full Text Search" field and entering this facility's permit number, AP0018. Look for documents identified as "OLQ Permit" in the "Document Type" column. A copy of the final permit is also on file with the local health department and is available for public review. Please bring the foregoing to the attention of persons whom you know would be interested in this matter.