AIR QUALITY PERMIT NOTICE

Notice of Open Comment Period

On June 30, 2023, TransGas Development Systems, LLC applied to the WV Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Air Quality (DAQ) for a construction permit to build an Ammonia Production Facility located off of Right Fork Ben's Creek Road near Wharncliffe, Mingo County, WV, at latitude 37.61577 and longitude -81.92736. A preliminary evaluation has determined that all State and Federal air quality requirements will be met by the proposed construction. The DAQ is providing notice to the public of an open comment period for Permit Application R13-3622.

The following potential emissions will be authorized by this permit action: Carbon Monoxide, 13.39 tons per year (TPY); Oxides of Nitrogen, 52.52 TPY; Particulate Matter less than 2.5 microns, 0.40; Particulate Matter less than 10 microns, 0.40 TPY; Particulate Matter, 0.40 TPY; Sulfur Dioxide, 0.18 TPY; Volatile Organic Compounds, 0.55 TPY; and Hazardous Air Pollutants, 0.27 TPY.

Written comments or requests for a public meeting must be received by the DAQ before 5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 2, 2024. A public meeting may be held if the Director of the DAQ determines that significant public interest has been expressed, in writing, or when the Director deems it appropriate.

The purpose of the DAQ's permitting process is to make a preliminary determination if the proposed construction will meet all State and Federal air quality requirements. The purpose of the public review process is to accept public comments on air quality issues relevant to this determination. Only written comments received at the address noted below within the specified time frame, or comments presented orally at a scheduled public meeting, will be considered prior to final action on the permit. All such comments will become part of the public record.

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Additional information, including copies of the draft permit, application, and all other supporting materials relevant to the permit decision may be obtained by contacting the engineer listed above. The draft permit and engineering evaluation may also be downloaded at:

https://dep.wv.gov/daq/permitting/Pages/NSR-Permit-Applications.aspx