

**REVISED (4/8/2020) NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT
ON A DRAFT PRECONSTRUCTION PERMIT MODIFICATION FACILITY:
DELAWARE RIVER PARTNERS LLC Program Interest (PI): 56309 / Permit Activity
Number: PCP190002**

Please be informed that the public hearing for the above referenced facility originally scheduled for Tuesday, April 7, 2020 in Gibbstown has been cancelled due to the impacts from Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19). Instead, the Department will be holding a virtual public hearing on April 22, 2020, from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. If you are interested in joining the virtual public hearing, please email the Department at aqppls@dep.nj.gov with your contact information (name, telephone number, and email address) and whether you intend to provide oral testimony or not. You must provide a valid email address so the Department can then send you a web link to a MS Teams meeting, with a separate option for a telephone call-in line for those without access to a computer that can connect to MS Teams. Note that this virtual public hearing will be recorded.

Written comments will be accepted through April 29, 2020.

The New Jersey State Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) is seeking public comment on its intent to approve an Air Pollution Control Pre-Construction Permit for Delaware River Partners LLC pursuant to the provisions of Air Pollution Control Act of Chapter 106, P.L. 1967 (N.J.S.A. 26:2C-1 et. seq.) and state regulation promulgated at N.J.A.C. 7:27-8. These rules require that any significant source of air contaminant emissions must obtain a Pre-Construction Permit prior to construction, reconstruction, installation, or modification.

FACILITY INFORMATION

Located at 200 N. Rapauno Ave., Gibbstown, Gloucester County, NJ, Delaware River Partners LLC (DRP) currently operates a liquid petroleum gas (LPG) storage and transfer operations that consist of six rail loading racks, two truck loading racks, underground storage hard rock cavern, and an enclosed flare for control of emissions.

On November 15, 2019, DRP submitted an air permit modification application to expand its currently permitted LPG (butane and/or propane) transfer operation. The original permit allowed the facility to transload product between railcars/tanker trucks and the existing hard rock cavern on site. This modification would allow the facility to further transload product between railcars and marine vessels at the existing multi-purpose dock as the facility will construct additional two rail loading racks and an enclosed flare (CD3). The new flare (CD3) will be connected to the existing enclosed flare (CD2), so that both flares will be available for all operations based on the needs of the facility and redundancy in case of an emergency. The expansion will result in an increase of VOC emissions from 5.44 tons/year to 8.61 tons/year (2.66 ton/year increase). As with the original permit, all Hazardous Air Pollutants are below reporting threshold. Both the existing permit and the modification application only allows storage and transfer of LPG (butane and/or propane); it does not allow storage and transfer of natural gas and/or liquid natural gas.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND CONTACT INFORMATION

This public notice and the draft preconstruction permit have been posted at the Air Quality Permitting website: <http://www.state.nj.us/dep/aqpp/publicnotices.htm>. Copies of these documents and additional information on this draft permit can be obtained by calling Sunila Agrawal (phone number 609-292-1313). The draft permit is also available for inspection at the Southern Regional Field Office, 2 Riverside Drive – Suite 201, Camden, NJ 08103 (phone number 856-614-3601). If you would like to inspect the draft permit at either location, please call in advance for an appointment.

All persons, including the applicant, who believe that any condition of the draft preconstruction permit or the Department's tentative decision to approve this permit is inappropriate, must raise all reasonable issues of concern and submit all arguments and factual grounds or materials supporting their position during the public comment period. Any comments on this draft permit must be addressed to Sunila Agrawal, Bureau of Stationary Sources, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, 401 E State Street, 2nd Floor, PO Box 420, Mail Code 401-02, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0420.