DTSC PUBLIC NOTICE

DTSC's Mission is to protect California's people, communities, and environment from toxic substances, to enhance economic vitality by restoring contaminated land, and to compel manufacturers to make safer consumer products.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD and PUBLIC MEETING/HEARING Renewal of HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY OPERATING AND POST-CLOSURE PERMIT for Chevron Products Company, El Segundo Refinery 324 West El Segundo Boulevard, El Segundo, CA 90245

What is being proposed? The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites you to review and comment on the Draft Hazardous Waste Facility Operating and Post-Closure Permit (Draft Permit) for Chevron Products Company (Chevron), El Segundo Refinery located at 324 West El Segundo Boulevard, El Segundo, California 90245 (Facility). Chevron operates several hazardous waste management units at the Facility under a Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) equivalent Hazardous Waste Facility Operating and Post-Closure Permit that DTSC issued in 2007 for treatment and storage of hazardous waste generated by refinery operations, and the post closure care of the Landfarm Area closed in 1996. If approved, the Permit will authorize the Chevron to continue these same activities under the conditions of the new Permit for 10 years.

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) DTSC must evaluate whether the Permit may have any significant impacts on human health and the environment. As part of this evaluation, DTSC prepared an Addendum to an adopted Negative Declaration in accordance with the requirements of CEQA Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq. and the Guidelines for Implementation of CEQA California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15164. Upon making a permit decision, DTSC will file a Notice of Determination with the Office of Planning and Research State Clearinghouse. The findings are available for public review in the information repository below.

DTSC encourages public participation in the permit decision process and invites you to review and comment on the Draft Permit. Before making a final determination on the Draft Permit, DTSC will review and respond in writing to all public comments. A Response to Comments document will be provided to all those who submitted public comments and to those who request a copy. A copy of the Response to Comments will also be placed in the repository. **The public comment period is from April 27, 2023 – June 16, 2023.** Written comments must be postmarked or emailed by **June 16, 2023** and sent to: Ramesh Kaphle, DTSC Project Manager, 9211 Oakdale Avenue, Chatsworth, CA 91311 or emailed to <u>Rameshwor.Kaphle@dtsc.ca.gov</u>. **The online ZOOM meeting/hearing will be held on June 7, 2023, 6pm to 8pm. Use this link to register for the online ZOOM meeting:** <u>https://bit.ly/permitcpc</u> A link to the meeting will be emailed to you after registration.

Where do I get information? The Draft Permit, Permit Application, and CEQA documents are available at:

- DTSC Records Office, 9211 Oakdale Avenue, Chatsworth, CA 91311. Tel: (818) 717-6500. (By appointment)
- El Segundo Public Library, 111 W. Mariposa Ave., El Segundo, CA 90245. Tel: (310) 524-2722
- Envirostor: https://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/hwmp_profile_report.asp?global_id=CAD008336901

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