

US EPA ARCHIVE DOCUMENT

Tenaska Brownsville Partners, LLC, Tenaska Brownsville Generating Station
Prevention of Significant Deterioration Permit for Greenhouse Gas Emissions

PSD-TX-1350-GHG

Summary of Revisions in Final Permit

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6

January 12, 2015

I. Summary of the Formal Public Participation Process

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 (EPA) proposed to issue a Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permit to Tenaska Brownsville Partners, LLC (Tenaska), Tenaska Brownsville Generating Station on October 29, 2014 and December 5, 2014. The public comment period on the draft permit began October 29, 2014 and closed on November 28, 2014. EPA announced the public comment period through a public notice published in the Brownsville Herald on October 29, 2014 and on Region 6's website. EPA also notified agencies and municipalities on October 28, 2014 in accordance with 40 CFR Part 124. A second comment period regarding EPA's obligations under the National Historic Preservation Act notifying the public of EPA's determination of adverse effect and a proposed draft Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to address those adverse effects began on December 5, 2014 and closed on January 5, 2015. EPA announced the second public comment period through a public notice published in the Brownsville Herald on December 5, 2014 and on Region 6's website.

The Administrative Record for the draft permit was made available at EPA Region 6's office. EPA also made the draft permit, statement of basis and other supporting documentation available on Region 6's website, and at the Brownsville Public Library, Brownsville, Texas. For the second public comment period, *EPA Adverse Effect Determination* and MOA was made available at EPA Region 6's office and website, and at the Brownsville Public Library, Brownsville, Texas.

EPA's public notice for the draft permit also provided the public with notice of the public hearing explaining that it was subject to cancellation if no requests for a hearing were received or if EPA determined that there was not a significant degree of public interest. EPA did not receive any written requests for a public hearing, and the public hearing arrangements were cancelled on November 21, 2014.

II. Revisions In Final Permit

The following is a list of administrative changes for the *Tenaska Brownsville Partners, LLC, Tenaska Brownsville Generating Station (PSD-TX-1350-GHG) Prevention of Significant Deterioration Permit, Final Permit Conditions*.

Cover Sheet

The cover sheet title "Prevention of Significant Deterioration Permit for Greenhouse Gas Emissions Issued Pursuant to the Requirements at 40 CFR § 52.21" has been modified to state the following:

In accordance with 40 CFR § 124.15(b)(3), this PSD Permit becomes effective ~~30 days after the service of notice of this final decision unless review is requested on the permit pursuant to 40 CFR § 124.19~~ immediately upon issuance of this final decision.

This administrative change is made as a result of not receiving any comment during the comment period related to this action.

III. National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA)

The following is a list of administrative changes for the *Memorandum of Agreement among the Environmental Protection Agency, the Texas Historical Commission, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, pursuant to Sections 110(f) and 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act regarding the Brownsville Generating Station, Cameron County, Texas*

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WHEREAS, on ~~DATE~~ December 5, 2014, the EPA provided a subsequent public notice of its formal NHPA Section 106 findings and determinations of effect, and this MOA; ~~[PLACEHOLDER: INSERT SUMMARY OF COMMENTS]~~ for which EPA received no comments; and

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This administrative change is made as a result of not receiving any comment during the comment period related to this action.