



# PUBLIC NOTICE

## HAZARDOUS WASTE PERMIT MODIFICATION REQUESTS

**Pueblo Chemical Agent-Destruction Pilot Plant (PCAPP)  
Research, Development and Demonstration (RD&D) Permit  
#CO-04-07-01-01**

U.S. Army Pueblo Chemical Depot (PCD)  
45825 Highway 96 East, Pueblo, Colorado 81006-9330



<p><b>What is the purpose of these permit modification requests?</b></p>	<p>The U.S. Army and its contractor, Bechtel National, Inc., operate the Pueblo Chemical Agent-Destruction Pilot Plant destroying mustard-containing chemical munitions stored at Pueblo Chemical Depot. The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment issued the Research, Development, and Demonstration Permit on July 1, 2004.</p> <p>The Army and Bechtel are now applying for the following Class 2 permit modification:</p> <p><b>Modification #117, Hydrolysate Truck Loading Station:</b></p> <p>This permit modification request is proposing to construct and operate a Hydrolysate Truck Loading Station. The Hydrolysate Truck Loading Station will be located adjacent to the 30-day Hydrolysate Storage Tanks secondary containment.</p> <p>The proposed Hydrolysate Truck Loading Station will be used on an intermittent basis for shipments of hydrolysate to an offsite Treatment, Storage, and Disposal Facility (TSDF). PCAPP plans to continue treating hydrolysate at PCAPP concurrent with dispositioning hydrolysate offsite. Examples of the operating conditions under which the Hydrolysate Truck Loading Station will be used could include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Initial reduction of hydrolysate volume accumulated to provide additional tank capacity to sustain Pilot Testing activities</li> <li>• Contingency needed to manage inventories in the 30-day storage tanks to allow for continued plant operations in the event that the on-site treatment process fails or lags behind the generation of hydrolysate from PCAPP agent destruction processes.</li> </ul> <p>This Permit Modification Request requires revision to Part III, Storage and Treatment in Tanks and Miscellaneous Units; Part V, Storage and Treatment in Containers; Attachment D, Waste Analysis Plan; Attachment E, List of Drawings; Attachment J, Hazard Preparedness and Prevention Plan; and Attachment K, Inspection Plan.</p>
<p><b>When is the public meeting?</b></p>	<p>A public meeting to discuss this permit modification request will be held in Pueblo at the District Attorney's office, 701 Court Street (main 1st floor conference room), at 2:00 p.m. on March 29, 2017.</p>
<p><b>Where can I find copies of these permit modification requests?</b></p>	<p>A copy of this permit modification request is available for review by the general public during regular business hours at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ <b>Robert Hoag Rawlings Public Library</b>, 100 East Abriendo Avenue, Pueblo, CO 81004</li> <li>→ <b>McHarg Community Center</b>, 405 2nd Street, Avondale, CO 81022</li> <li>→ <b>Boone Community Center</b>, 421 East First Street, Boone, CO 81025</li> <li>→ <b>Pueblo Chemical Stockpile Outreach Office</b>, 104 W. B Street, Pueblo, CO 81003</li> <li>→ <b>Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment</b>, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division Records Center, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South, Denver, Colorado 80246</li> </ul>



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### How long is the comment period?

The public comment period is from March 14, 2017 through May 13, 2017. Written comments regarding this permit modification request must be submitted to:

Mr. Kevin Mackey, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment,  
Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division,  
HMWMD-B2, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South,  
Denver, Colorado 80246-1530  
Email: [Kevin.Mackey@state.co.us](mailto:Kevin.Mackey@state.co.us)

Please note:

**FAILURE TO RAISE AN ISSUE OR PROVIDE INFORMATION DURING THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD MAY PREVENT YOU FROM RAISING THAT ISSUE OR SUBMITTING SUCH INFORMATION IN AN APPEAL OF THE DEPARTMENT'S FINAL DECISION - 6 CCR 1007-3, SECTION 100.506(d)(1)(vi).**

The Division Director will approve, modify or disapprove the permit modification request based on technical and regulatory review of the request and after considering all comments from the public.

### Who can I talk to about this?

For more information, please contact:

**Sandy Romero, Bechtel National, Inc.**

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**Ron Eccher, Pueblo Chemical Stockpile Outreach Office**

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**Jeannine Natterman, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment**

→ Toll Free: 1-888-569-1831, ext. 3303 Email: [Jeannine.Natterman@state.co.us](mailto:Jeannine.Natterman@state.co.us)

The permittee's compliance history during the life of the permit is available from Mr. Kevin Mackey of the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, at [Kevin.Mackey@state.co.us](mailto:Kevin.Mackey@state.co.us) or phone 303-692-3426, or toll free at (888) 569-1831 ext. 3426.