



MOJAVE DESERT AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

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AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT

DCP000210

If construction is not completed by the expiration date of this permit, it may be renewed for one additional year upon payment of applicable fees. Any additional extension will require the written approval of the Air Pollution Control Officer. This Authority to Construct may serve as a temporary Permit to Operate provided the APCO is given prior notice of intent to operate and the Permit to Operate is not specifically denied.

EXPIRES LAST DAY OF: MARCH 2027

OWNER OF OPERATOR (Co.#90)

Omya (California) Inc
7299 Crystal Creek Road
Lucerne Valley, CA 92356

EQUIPMENT LOCATION (Fac.#4663)

Omya Solar Plant
7225 Crystal Creek Road
Lucerne Valley, CA 92415

Description:

DUST CONTROL PLAN (RULE 403(C)(6)(a) CONSTRUCTION/DEMOLITION) consisting of: a 7.25 acre disturbance (29.39 total acres) 6.66 MW solar photovoltaic construction project at Omya on APN 0446-033-08, -09, -17, -18, -19 and -39 in Lucerne Valley, expected to begin in March 2026 and to be completed in March 2027. Project contact is Adam Smetters (623) 463-7123 and twenty-four hour contact is Fredy Herrera (760) 221-7116. This Dust Control Plan and project/facility/site was inspected by District staff as required by Rule 403(D)(7) on [date tbd].

EQUIPMENT

Capacity	Equipment Description
0	Water Application Equipment - a minimum of at least one water truck operating during construction and as needed
0	Water Supply - a combination of well and tank water supply sufficient to meet all dust suppression requirements
0	Dust Suppressant Products - water, vegetation (hydroseeding or equivalent), crust forming binder as needed
0	Other Dust Control Methods - Fencing and posted vehicle speed limit of 15 mph
0	Treatment For Preventing Carryout and Trackout - as needed to ensure no trackout is present for more than twenty-four hours on public paved surfaces

CONDITIONS:

Fee Schedule: 12 (N/A)

Rating: 1 plan

SIC: 1521

SCC: 2311000100

Location/UTM(Km):
505E/3826N

This permit does not authorize the emission of air contaminants in excess of those allowed by law, including Division 26 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California and the Rules and Regulations of the District. This permit cannot be construed as permission to violate existing laws, ordinances, statutes or regulations of this or other governmental agencies. This permit must be renewed by the expiration date above. If billing for renewal fee required by Rule 301(c) is not received by expiration date above, please contact the District.

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By: **COPY**
Eldon Heaston
Air Pollution Control Officer

1. The owner/operator (o/o) shall comply with the dust control plan application submitted in response to Rule 403, as approved by the Air Pollution Control Officer (APCO) and incorporated into this Dust Control Plan (DCP) by reference, including those specific elements regarding watering for short-term stabilization, trackout prevention and cleanup, haul vehicle freeboard and covers, graded surface stabilization, high wind condition actions, natural topography, and project scheduling.
[Rule 403(C)(6) and (D)(1)]

2. The o/o shall install signage in accordance with Rule 403 Attachment B and as approved by the Air Pollution Control Officer (APCO) prior to the start of any Active Operations as defined by Rule 403, and such signage shall be maintained for the duration of Active Operations.
[Rule 403(D)(3)]

3. This DCP indicates that the dust control plan application submitted in response to Rule 403 has been conditionally approved by the APCO. Full approval of this DCP is contingent upon satisfying condition 4 below. This DCP remains valid until the termination of all Active Operations as defined in Rule 403, unless disapproved by the APCO or not recertified in accordance with Rule 403.
[Rule 403(D)(5)]

4. The o/o notify the APCO not less than ten days prior to the commencement of Active Operations as defined by 403 (by mail, facsimile or email to DCP@mdaqmd.ca.gov). The o/o shall consequently meet with District staff on-site to review dust control requirements and commitments and to confirm compliance with this DCP and Rule 403 prior to the start of Active Operations.
[Rule 403(D)(7)]

5. The o/o must notify the Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District (District) within ten days if a significant change occurs to the project or operations covered by this DCP (by mail, facsimile or email to DCP@mdaqmd.ca.gov). An appropriately modified dust control plan application must be submitted to the District within thirty days of the change.
[Rule 403(D)(8)]

6. The o/o shall recertify this DCP annually through response to the renewal invoice. The response may consist of a statement of 'no change' if there has been no change to sources, control measures or special circumstances as detailed in the approved dust control plan application (in which case resubmittal/renewal fees shall be waived), or 'no longer active' as specified below.
[Rule 403(D)(9)]

7. The o/o shall notify the APCO in writing (by mail, facsimile or email to DCP@mdaqmd.ca.gov) within thirty days after the project/facility/site no longer qualifies as an Active Operation as defined by Rule 403.
[Rule 403(D)(10)]

8. The o/o shall pay submittal, resubmittal/recertification, site inspection, and site stability inspection fees as specified in Rule 302, Rule 403 and as specified above, or this DCP shall be deemed disapproved by the APCO.
[Rule 403(D)(11)]

9. The o/o shall maintain a copy of the dust control plan application, and records demonstrating compliance with the requirements of this DCP and Rule 403. Compliance demonstration records are required only for those days that a control measure was implemented. Records shall be maintained for at least two years (or through the completion of the project), and shall be provided to District personnel upon request.
[Rule 403(F)(1)]

10. If demolitions are planned or required as a part of this project/facility/site, the o/o shall submit asbestos demolition/renovation notification and related fees prior to demolition as required by the asbestos NESHAP (National Emissions Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants Subpart M) and District policy.
[40 CFR 61, Subpart M]

11. The o/o shall not cause or allow the emissions of fugitive dust from any transport, handling, construction or storage activity so that the fugitive dust is visible in the atmosphere beyond the property line of the emissions source.

[Rule 403(C)(1)]

12. The o/o shall take every reasonable precaution to minimize fugitive dust emissions from wrecking, excavation, grading, clearing of land, and solid waste disposal operations.

[Rule 403(C)(2)]