



## MOJAVE DESERT AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

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### AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT

T014466

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: OCTOBER 2026**

#### **OWNER OF OPERATOR (Co.#90)**

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

#### **EQUIPMENT LOCATION (Fac.#461)**

Omya - Main Plant  
7299 Crystal Creek Road  
Lucerne Valley, CA 92356

#### **Description:**

RAYMOND MILL FEED SILO (46-001) consisting of: a steel silo with an integral baghouse (C014467) to collect particulate emissions during silo filling. The capacity of this silo is 30 cubic meters (2975 gallons) and is pneumatically fed crushed limestone product. The process feeding to and from this silo has a maximum of rate of 5 tons per hour.

#### **CONDITIONS:**

1. This equipment shall be installed, operated and maintained in strict accordance with those recommendations of the manufacturer/supplier and/or sound engineering principles which produce the minimum emissions of air contaminants. Unless otherwise noted, this equipment shall also be operated in accordance with all data and specifications submitted with the application for this permit. [District Rule 204]
2. This silo shall not be operated unless vented to properly functioning control equipment under valid District permit C014467 (Baghouse, MyMill Feed Silo 46-002). [District Rule 204]
3. This equipment shall be operated in compliance with 40 CFR 60 Subpart OOO - Standards of Performance for Nonmetallic Mineral Processing Plants.

Fee Schedule: 5 (a)

Rating: 2975 gallons

SIC: 1422

SCC: 30503812

Location/UTM(Km):  
505E/3805N

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**  
**Brad Poiriez**  
Executive Director

[District Rule 204; 40 CFR 60, Subpart OOO]

4. The owner/operator must conduct an initial compliance test per 40 CFR 60, Subpart OOO requirements, including opacity (USEPA Method 9 or equivalent) testing as applicable for each fugitive emission point (transfer point or other) associated with this equipment. The initial compliance test must be conducted within 60 days of achieving full production rate but in no case later than 180 days following initial startup. Compliance test shall be carried out in accordance with the test methods defined in 40 CFR 60.11, 40 CFR 60, Subpart OOO, Section 60.675, and the District Compliance Test Procedural Manual.

[40 CFR Part 60.672]

The owner/operator must submit a compliance/certification test protocol at least thirty (30) days prior to the compliance/certification test date. The owner/operator must conduct all required compliance/certification tests in accordance with a District-approved test protocol. The owner/operator must notify the District a minimum of ten (10) days prior to the compliance/certification test date so that an observer may be present. The final compliance/certification test results must be submitted to the District within forty-five (45) days of completion of the test. All compliance/certification test notifications, protocols, and results may be submitted electronically to reporting@mdaqmd.ca.gov.

[District Rule 204]

5. A facility log must be maintained on-site for at least three (2) years and made available to District personnel upon request. This log shall contain, as a minimum:

- a. A Description of all breakdowns and repairs performed; and
- b. Date and result of all required US EPA Method 22 visible emissions observations (and US EPA Method 9 VE, as required), and any associated corrective actions taken.

[District Rule 204; 40 CFR Part 60.676]

6. In the event of a malfunction of any emissions related part of this silo, the equipment must be shut down as soon as safely possible and shall not be restarted until all malfunctions have been corrected. Equipment breakdowns shall be reported to the District in accordance with District Rule 430.

[District Rules 204 and 430]

7. This equipment shall not store any HAP-containing materials.

[District Rules 1303 and 1320]

8. The facility-wide emissions must be less than the following limitations in each consecutive twelve-month period:

- a. 80 tons per year of Carbon Monoxide (CO) per calendar year;
- b. 20 tons per year of Oxides of Nitrogen (NO<sub>x</sub>) per calendar year;
- c. 20 tons per year of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) per each consecutive twelve-month period;
- d. 80 tons per year of Particulate Matter of 10 microns or less (PM<sub>10</sub>) per calendar year;
- e. 20 tons per year of Oxides of Sulfur (SO<sub>x</sub>) per calendar year;
- f. 8 tons per year of any single Hazardous Air Pollutant (HAP) per calendar year; and,
- g. 20 tons per year of any combination of HAP per calendar year.

Compliance with these emission limitations must be verified by pollutant-specific emission summaries for each calendar year except for PM-10 which must be verified for each consecutive twelve-month period. These emission summaries must be retained on-site for a minimum period of five (5) years; and, must be made available for review upon request by District, State or Federal personnel.

[District Rules 221(B) and 1201(S)]

In addition, this facility is designated as a Major Source of PM<sub>10</sub> under Regulation XIII - New Source Review, as it has a Potential to Emit in an amount equal to or greater than 15 tons per year of PM<sub>10</sub>; therefore, any new Permit Unit or any Modified Permit Unit at this facility must be fully offset pursuant to District Rule 1303(B).

[District Rules 1301(II) and 1303(B)]

9. This facility must submit a Comprehensive Emissions Inventory Report (CEIR) to the District in accordance with District CEI Guidelines and in a format approved by the District, on an annual basis.

[District Rule 107(b); H&S Code 39607 & 44341-44342; and 40 CFR 51, Subpart A]