MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Telephonic Meeting

Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:00 A.M. Room 104A 515 East Amite Street Jackson, Mississippi 39201

AGENDA

1. Call to Order - Chair

2. Approval of the February 27, 2020, Commission Meeting Minutes

3. FY 2021 Underground Storage Tank Fee Recommendation

A public comment period concerning the FY2021 Underground Storage Tank (UST) Fee was held between February 12 through March 12, 2020 with the public notice information distributed to the Mississippi Petroleum Marketers and Convenience Store Association. No comments were received. Therefore, the staff recommends that the Commission set the fee at the proposed rate of \$150.00 per UST, which is an increase of \$50 from last year's tank fee. The tank fee has been set at \$100 per UST since 1998.

4. Environmental Covenant for Southland Oil Yazoo Bulk Plant

Pursuant to the Commission's delegation regulations (11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 1, R.1.1.Y.), the Interim Executive Director of MDEQ approved the Environmental Covenants between the Commission and Comet Street, LLC regarding the remediation of a former bulk plant located at 1184 Rialto Road in Yazoo City, Mississippi. The site operated as a bulk storage plant for diesel fuel and gasoline. Site assessments have revealed release(s) of diesel fuel and gasoline contaminating soils and groundwater at concentrations in excess of Target Remediation Goals. Remedial actions included the installation of a dual phase extraction system in 2006 and soil excavation in 2013. The staff of the MDEQ has evaluated the proposed Environmental Covenant and believes that, with the conditions and restrictions contained within; the site will be in compliance with applicable State laws and standards and will be protective of the public health and the environment. This agenda item is for reporting purposes only.

5. Confirmation of the May 28, 2020 Commission meeting

6. Adjournment