

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Interim Certification Application Tailings Management Areas Omya Inc., Verpol Plant Florence, Vermont

Section (§) 6-304(h) of the Vermont Solid Waste Management Rules (VSWMRs) requires that this Interim Certification Application include a plan for notifying the public about the application. However, according to VSWMRs Section 6-306(c), the following notice requirements do not apply:

- VSWMRs § 6-305(a)(2) – The applicant shall provide public notice of the application (i.e., at least two newspapers of general circulation).
- VSWMRs § 6-305(a)(3) – The notice of application shall include general information regarding the application and describe the application review process, including the opportunities for public participation.
- VSWMRs § 6-305(a)(4) – The receipt for public comment shall end no sooner than 15 days after the date of the last newspaper publication date.

Notwithstanding VSWMRs Section 6-306(c), Omya will provide notice of the application to the general public by advertisement in at least two newspapers of general circulation in the Florence, Vermont area. Specifically, Omya will publish notice of the application in the Rutland Herald, a daily newspaper of general circulation, and the Rutland Tribune, a regional weekly newspaper of general circulation. A draft of the proposed Notice is provided below.

The public notice will also be issued to all residences and landowners within a one-half mile radius of the Verpol Plant, or to the nearest one hundred (100) residences and landowners, whichever is the lesser number. A preliminary list of the names and mailing addresses of persons and entities that are to receive the public notice is provided below.

NOTICE OF INTERIM CERTIFICATION APPLICATION

*Vermont Agency of Natural Resources
Department of Environmental Conservation
Solid Waste Management Program*

Interim Certification of Omya Inc.'s Tailings Management Areas

Public Notice is hereby provided that the Solid Waste Program of the Agency of Natural Resources has received a request for Interim Certification for the existing tailings management areas (TMAs) at Omya Inc.'s Verpol Plant in Florence, Vermont. This certification request was prepared in accordance with the requirements of Section 6-306 of the Vermont Solid Waste Management Rules (effective: October 15, 2004).

The Solid Waste Program is currently preparing draft Findings of Fact on the TMAs, which will be issued for public review and comment. Comments on the draft Findings of Fact will be accepted and reviewed. When the draft Findings of Fact are determined by the Solid Waste Program to be accurate and complete, the application will undergo technical review by the Solid Waste Program staff.

If the design and operation of the TMAs conforms to the applicable sections of the Vermont Solid Waste Management Rules and applicable statutes, then a draft Interim Certification will be prepared and issued for public comment. A finding by the Secretary of the Agency of Natural Resources that the application does not conform to the Vermont Solid Waste Management Rules and applicable statutes will result in the denial of the application. Public comment on the draft Interim Certification will be accepted and considered. An Interim Certification may issue following the public comment period.

The Interim Certification Application is available for review during normal business hours at the Town of Pittsford offices and at the Omya Inc. Verpol Plant. The application is also available for review at the Solid Waste Program's offices in Waterbury, Vermont, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Questions regarding the application and written requests to be placed on the mailing list should be directed to:

**Contact at SWP
Solid Waste Program
103 South Main Street
Waterbury, Vermont 05701
Phone: (802) ###-####; Facsimile: (802) ###-####**

**LIST OF PERSONS TO WHOM INDIVIDUAL NOTICES SHALL BE PROVIDED
(PRELIMINARY)**

<i>Name</i>	<i>Property</i>	<i>Tax Map</i>	<i>Parcel#</i>
James M. Creed 5 Robinwood Lane Rutland, VT 05701	Fire Hill Rd (land)	21-8	0301
Gregory & Suzanne Johnson 587 Fire Hill Road Florence, VT 05744	587 Fire Hill Rd	21-9.3	1599
Bruce & Sandra Hunt 206 Denaro Lane Florence, VT 05763	206 Denaro Lane	32-4.1	0672
Franklyn & Laurie Hudson 242 Old Hubbardton Road Florence, VT 05744	242 Old Hubbardton Rd	32-14	0570
Rosemary Rusin 117 Old Hubbardton Road Florence, VT 05744	117 Old Hubbardton Rd	32-1.2	1200
Edward & Joanne Eugair 7496 Whipple Hollow Road Florence, VT 05744	7496 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-9	0379
David M & Linda M Rosato 237 Markowski Road Florence, VT 05744	237 Markowski Rd	8-12	1178
Stephen & Linda Rosato 7230 Whipple Hollow Road Florence, VT 05744	7230 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-11	1179
Stephen Rosto 7002 Whipple Hollow Florence, VT 05744	7002 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-13	1181
Kevin & Deborah Stone 6723 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744	6723 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-16.1	1326
Robert & Darleene Chapin 6816 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744	6816 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-15	0228
Nancy Scarcello 6776 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744	6776 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-17	0010
Northeast Land Trust, Co. LTD P O Box 217 Wallingford, VT 05773-0217	6645 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-16.2	1629
Michael R. Gecha 6448 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744-9709	6448 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-23 & 25	0798

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Mark & Tracy Sadakierski 6354 Whipple Hollow Rd. Florence, VT 05744	6354 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-27.2	1208
Thomas J. Martin 6310 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744	6310 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-27.1	1110
Joe Markowski ** 36 Fire Hill Rd Florence, VT 05744	36 Fire Hill Rd	21-4	992
ABS of Vermont ** Attn: Gary Delprato, Repeater Hut, 1 North Main Coudersport, PA 16915	8421 Whipple Hollow Rd	n/a	1586
Theodore A. & Thomas H. Dido 8163 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744	8163 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-2	0345
John P. Lapre P O Box 923 Castleton, VT 05735-0923	7991 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-8	0392
Gary Davis 8053 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744	8053 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-4	0681
VELCO 336 Pinnacle Ridge Road Rutland, VT 05701	8040 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-3	1403
Paul R. Martel 1678 Howard Hill Rd Benson, VT 05743	2503 W. Creek Rd	2 IN -2	0693
Troy Young ** P. O. Box 182 Brandon, VT 05733	861 Kendall Hill Rd	2-4	0167
Bernadette C. Robin 967 Kendall Hill Rd Brandon, VT 05733	967 Kendal Hill Rd.	1S-1	1418
Glenn & Peri Champine P O Box 45 Florence, VT 05733	2371 West Creek Rd	1S-2	0219
Veronica Alberico ** 2303 West Creek Road Florence, VT 05744	2303 West Creek Rd.	1S-4	0885
William & Patricia Church 2267 West Creek Road Brandon, VT 05733	2267 West Creek Rd	1S-8	0241

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Charles & Aline Elnicki ** 2242 West Creek Road Florence, VT 05744	2242 West Creek Rd	1S-11&13	0374
Robert & Kathy Kallen 2247 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	2247 West Creek Rd	1S-10	0373
Fred & Deborah Elliot ** 2314 West Creek Rd Brandon, VT 05733	2314 West Creek Rd	1S-34.1	1649
Willis & Lois Niles 2298 West Creek Rd Brandon, VT 05733	2298 West Creek Rd	1S-5	0972
Robert Moore 136 Briarwood Ln Rutland, VT 05701	90 Chateau Way 92 Chateau Way 106 Chateau Way	1S-9	0938
Bruce & Lori Rhodes ** 53 Chateau Way Florence, VT 05744	53 Chateau Way	1S-9	1159
William & Laurie Hemple ** 16 Chateau Way Florence, VT 05744	16 Chateau Way	1S-11&20	0374
Timothy & Adelaida Maxfield 2192 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05733	2192 West Creek Rd	1S-15	1092
Sharon & George Clifford 1890 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	1890 West Creek Rd 2 Units	1S-19	
Cecilia Ramage 1893 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	1893 West Creek Rd	1S-24	1131
Daniel J. Chrusciel 1806 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	1806 West Creek Rd	1S-23	0240
Richard & Patricia Roberts 1784 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	1784 West Creek Rd	1S-25	1167
Muriel E. LeFevre 1738 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	1738 West Creek Rd	1S-27	1361
Robert T. Kallen et al c/o Mary J. Kallen 1688 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	1688 West Creek Rd	1S-29	0703

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Thomas R. Brown et al c/o Kenneth Browe, P O Box 55 Florence, VT 05744	27 River Street	22-2	0130
Mark & Janine Triller P O Box 13 Florence, VT 05744	1543 West Creek Rd	1S-32	1378
Frank Bovey P O Box 14 Florence, VT 05744	1448 West Creek Rd	1S-31	0117
Barbara J. Sandillo ** 1377 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	1377 West Creek Rd	1S-34.1	1649
Joseph & Barbara Bizzarro ** 1335 West Creek Road Florence, VT 05744	1335 West Creek Rd	1S-36	0092
Robert J. Marcy LaFlamme 1261 West Creek Road Florence, VT 05744	1261 West Creek Rd	1S-34.2	1661
Jack & Jane Orvis 1085 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	1085 West Creek Rd	1S-38	0999
Gary & Deborah Stanley 994 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	994 West Creek Rd	1S-33	1311
Linda Poro 11 Chateau Way Florence, VT 05744	11 Chateau Way	11	1101
Douglas Hard 929 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	929 West Creek Rd	1S-40.2	0582
Darcy Devereaux 871 West Creek Florence, VT 05744	871 West Creek Rd	1S-50-52- 54	0848
Estate of Barbara Gagnon c/o Jeffrey Gagnon, 140 West Rd Marlborough, CT 06	821 West Creek Rd 447	1S-35 & 44	0481
Barry Ferraro 614 Humphrey Rd Florence, VT 05744	614 Humphrey Rd	36-3	0394
Ernest & Mary Lou Brod 460 Humphrey Rd Florence, VT 05744	460 Humphrey Rd	36-1	0128
Town of Proctor Main Street Proctor, VT 05765	Humphrey Rd	36-7	114

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Priscilla Hard 595 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	595 West Creek Rd	1S-56	0583
Richard & Anne Harrington P O Box 569, 752 Kendall Hill Rd Pittsford, VT 05763	756 Kendall Hill Rd	2-3	0558
Town of Pittsford P. O. Box 10 Pittsford, VT 05763	256 River Street	22-10	n/a
Edward K. & Jane L. Browe 153 River Street Florence, VT 05744	153 River Street	22-8	0131
Kenneth & Sandra Gagnon 162 River Street Florence, VT 05744	162 River Street	22-3	483
Katherine & Nathan Ryder 115 River Street Florence, VT 05744	115 River Street	22-6	1206
David Champine et al 124 River Street Florence, VT 05744	124 River Street	22-1	217
Alexander & Alicia McClaren, Jr. 85 River Street Florence, VT 05744	85 River Street	22-4	1336
Robert Demarco Diane Dressler 1925 West Creek Road Florence, VT 05744	1925 West Creek Rd	1S-22	0338
Town of Pittsford (Reservoir) Municipal Building, Plains Road Pittsford, VT 05763	West Creek Rd	1S-30	1722
Helen Pelerin, et al 6509 Autumn Woods Boulevard Naples, FL 34109-7	6586 Whipple Hollow Rd 801	8 -21	1033
Jonathan P. & Marjorie A Holt 13 Sheldon Street N. Billerica, MA 01862	Land	8-19	0654
Umbert Rosato, et al 7002 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744	7002 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-13, 8-14	0228
John & Mary O'Keefe 7797 Whipple Hollow Rd Florence, VT 05744	7797 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-10	0983

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Sharon A. & Nedra Carpenter 8018 Whipple Hollow Road Florence, VT 05744	8018 Whipple Hollow Rd	8-5	0182
Walter Champine 224 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	224 West Creek Road	1S-2	0919
Vermont Electric Power Co., Inc. 336 Pinnacle Ridge Road Rutland, VT 05701	Various Locations Transmission Lines	8-3	1403
Michael & Michele Wedin ** P O Box 230 Pittsford, VT 05763	1465 West Creek Rd	1S-34.3	992
Gregory Markowski, et al P.O. Box 69 Florence, VT 05744-0069	West Creek Rd	2-IN-1	0855
Beverly Petersen 2527 West Creek Rd Brandon, VT 05733	2527 West Creek Rd	1-N-4	0953
Theresa Plizga do Theresa Forest 1143 Fire Hill Rd. Florence, VT 05744	1143 Fire Hill Rd.	21-17	1075
Susan Shaw 2089 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744	2089 West Creek Rd	1S-14	1246
Dean Silloway & Lynn Bartnik 2079 West Creek Rd Florence, VT 05744-9705	2079 West Creek Rd	1S-16	0290
Joel Blumenthal ** P. O. Box 705 Proctor, VT 05765	8027 Whipple Hollow Road	n/a	n/a
Leslie & Barbara DeLorme ** P. O. Box 634 Proctor, VT 05765	1959 West Creek Road	21-2	1432

** Known or Presumed tenancies