



REGION 10

SEATTLE, WA 98101

September 4, 2024

Mr. Erik Zemke
Pit Manager
Central Manufacturing, Inc.
PO Box 939
Moses Lake, WA 98837

Dear Mr. Zemke:

This letter approves the Request for Coverage under the General Air Quality Permit for New or Modified Minor Source Hot Mix Asphalt Plants in Indian Country (HMA General Permit) submitted by Central Manufacturing, Inc. (Central Manufacturing) on June 19, 2024, pursuant to the Clean Air Act (CAA) Tribal Minor New Source Review Program. The project for which HMA General Permit coverage is sought by Central Manufacturing is the construction and operation of a portable hot mix asphalt plant at the Wapato Pit near Wapato, Washington, within the exterior boundaries of the Yakama Reservation (the Project).

Permittee: Central Manufacturing, LLC.
PO Box 939
Moses Lake, Washington 98837

Location: Wapato Pit
Wapato, Washington
Yakima County
Yakama Reservation
Latitude: 46.47205° N; Longitude: 120.51391° W

Permit #: R10TNSR01900

Determination

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10 has carefully reviewed Central Manufacturing's Request for Coverage and other relevant information to determine whether the Project meets all of the criteria to qualify for coverage under the HMA General Permit. Based on our review of, and in reliance on, all of the information and representations provided in the Request for Coverage and other information submitted by Central Manufacturing, as well as other relevant information, Region 10 has determined that the Project meets all such criteria and is eligible for coverage under the HMA General

Permit.¹ Accordingly, pursuant to 40 CFR 49.156(e), Region 10 is approving the Request for Coverage for the Project.

This Approval and the HMA General Permit authorize the Permittee to construct and operate the Project at the Wapato Pit location listed above. The Permittee is subject to Version 1.0 of the aforementioned HMA General Permit, a copy of which is enclosed.² The analysis and basis for Region 10's determination is discussed in more detail in the enclosed Technical Support Document for this action.

The preferred method of transmission for all notifications and reports required by the HMA General Permit should be sent via the online Compliance and Emission Data Reporting Interface (CEDRI) located at <https://www.epa.gov/electronic-reporting-air-emissions/cedri> . If the online system is not functioning or there are any issues with submitting the required documents, they shall instead be sent to the address below:

Clean Air Act Compliance Manager
U.S. EPA – Region 10, 20-C04
1200 Sixth Avenue, Suite 155
Seattle, WA 98101-3188

Relocation notifications required by the Federal Air Rules for Reservations (FARR) for facilities located within the states of Idaho, Oregon, Alaska, or Washington on Indian Reservation lands shall also be sent to the permitting program. The FARR relocation form can be found at <https://www.epa.gov/farr/forms-registration-and-reporting-under-farr> and emailed to R10_FARRhotline@epa.gov.

This Approval of Request for Coverage must be posted prominently at the site location of operation (Wapato Pit). Each affected emissions unit and any associated air pollution control technology must be labeled with the applicable identification number listed below:

Central Manufacturing HMA Plant: Affected Emission Units Covered by this Approval

ID #	Description of Affected Emission Units ¹	Controls
1	HMA Drum Dryer/Mixer: I.D. #PDB963F; counterflow design drum; 350 tons/hour capacity; 130 mmBtu/hr burner, fueled with natural gas; manufactured 2006	Baghouse
2	Aggregate Handling: aggregate to piles via trucks; from piles to drum dryer via loader; 350 tons/hour capacity; Construction year 2024	None listed
3	Silo Filling: asphalt to silo from drum dryer via Drag Conveyor	None listed
4	Truck Loading and Fumes: asphalt load-out from silos to trucks and fumes from loaded truck bed while in plant	None listed

¹ Region 10 has determined that Central Manufacturing has provided information demonstrating that it has met the listed species and historic properties eligibility criteria in the HMA General Permit, as discussed in the Technical Support Document.

²The HMA General Permit is available at https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2016-05/documents/hotmixasphaltpermit_1.pdf, and a copy of this Approval will be posted on Region 10's website at <http://www.epa.gov/caa-permitting/air-permits-issued-epa-region-10>.

5	Vehicle Traffic: asphalt, aggregate and RAP trucks; diesel tanker trucks; loader for aggregate and RAP handling; passenger vehicles	Water
6	Aggregate Storage Piles and Open Areas	None listed
7	Asphalt Oil Storage Tanks: I.D. #AT-1; 30,000 gallons asphalt oil; Installation date 1/2024; I.D	None listed
8	Asphalt Oil Storage Tank: I.D. #AT-2; 30,000 gallons asphalt oil; Installation date 1/2024	None listed
9	Diesel Storage Tank: I.D. #FT-1; 4,500 gallons diesel; Installation date 1/2024	None listed

Applicable Permit Conditions

Your permitted source is subject to all terms and conditions in the HMA General Permit as specified in the permit. Because your application requested the elective synthetic minor limit for co-located sources, your source must comply with Conditions 17.a and 20.b in the HMA General Permit.

Additional Information

You are reminded that you must construct and/or modify and operate the affected emissions units, and any associated air pollution control technologies, in compliance with the HMA General Permit and all other applicable federal air quality regulations and in a manner consistent with all the representations made in your Request for Coverage. You must comply with all applicable provisions of the HMA General Permit, including those set forth in the attachments and emission limitations that apply to the affected emissions units at the permitted source. Noncompliance with any permit provision is a violation of the permit; may constitute a violation of the CAA; is grounds for an enforcement action; and is grounds for Region 10 to revoke the Approval and terminate your source’s coverage under the HMA General Permit. You may be subject to enforcement action for failure to obtain a preconstruction permit if you construct your source under this Approval and your source is later determined not to qualify for the conditions and terms of the HMA General Permit.

Pursuant to 40 CFR 49.156(e)(8), this Approval will become invalid if you do not commence construction within 18 months after the date when this Approval becomes effective, if you discontinue construction for a period of 18 months or more, or if you do not complete construction within a reasonable time. Region 10 may extend the 18-month period upon a satisfactory showing that an extension is justified.

Region 10’s approval of your request for coverage under the HMA General Permit is effective upon signature and is a final agency action for purposes of judicial review. The only issue subject to review is whether the Project is eligible for coverage under the HMA General Permit. 40 CFR 49.156(e)(6). Any petition for review of this approval action must be filed in the United States Court of Appeals for the appropriate circuit pursuant to CAA section 307(b).

If you have any questions, please contact Christopher Familiare at (206) 553-1250 or familiare.christopher@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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Air Permits, Toxics, Transportation and Communities
Branch

Enclosures

cc: Ms. Blythe Monoian
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Yakama Nation

Mr. Phil Rigdon
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Yakama Nation