

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) invites public comments on a proposed federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) permit for Heritage-WTI, Inc. (WTI), formerly known as Von Roll America, Inc., located at 1250 St. George Street, East Liverpool, Ohio. The original comment period ran from April 22, 2008 through June 6, 2008, however, <u>due to increased public interest</u>, the comment period has been extended until August 27, 2008. A public meeting has been scheduled for Wednesday, July 23, 2008. The meeting will begin at 9:30 am at the Council Chamber, City Hall located at 126<sup>th</sup> W. 6<sup>th</sup> Street in East Liverpool, Ohio.

WTI received its initial RCRA hazardous waste permit in 1985, authorizing them for storage, treatment and combustion of hazardous wastes in its rotary kiln combustion system. The State of Ohio is authorized to administer its hazardous waste program in lieu of the federal hazardous waste management program, except the air emissions from containers, tanks, and miscellaneous waste treatment equipment.

The federal draft permit is available for public inspection and copying at the East Liverpool Public Library, located at 219 E. Fourth Street, East Liverpool, Ohio and is also available for review from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. weekdays at the office of U.S. EPA, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, IL 60604. Contact Wen Huang at (312) 886-6191 or Jim Blough at (312) 886-2967 for additional information, or write to:

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Interested persons may make written comments on the draft permit to the U.S. EPA on or before August 27, 2008. Written comments on the federal draft permit must meet the requirements of 40 CFR §§ 124.11-124.13. The draft permit and related documents are also available for review on the U.S. EPA Website at <u>http://www.epa.gov/reg5rcra/wptdiv/permits/index.htm</u>

After the close of the public notice period, all comments will be reviewed. A final determination on the issuance of the permit will be made at that time. A formal response to these comments will be prepared and provided to each person who submitted written comments or requested a notice of decision.